

Analysis

Dewitt MacKenzie
Interprets Today's News
From War Zones

If Herr Hitler is indeed preparing to invade Holland or Belgium or both, it may mean the beginning of the general European war which the world has been fearing.

However, it shouldn't be overlooked that this may be a deliberately engineered German-Russian scare. The purpose of such a thing might be two-fold—(1)—to stop the neutral low countries and Scandinavia from aiding Finland against the soviet, and (2) to warn the neutrals not to pursue their tendency to sell supplies to the allies for cash instead of continuing to send them to Germany for barter trade.

Should the German offensive develop it presumably would be intended as the preliminary to a heavy assault on the allies a little later. There are numerous reasons why the Nazi high command might undertake an operation against Holland and perhaps against Belgium. Among them are these:

1. Control of Holland would give the Germans extremely desirable air-bases for operations against England, against the British blockade and other shipping. It might prestage the blood-bath from the air which the Nazis have threatened so often.
2. Such control also would provide invaluable submarine bases.
3. The Germans may feel impelled to haste in preparing for major operations against the allies because of the growing aid from the Anglo-French brotherhood for Finland. There is a danger to Germany's right flank if this assistance continues.
4. Increasing pressure of the blockade on Germany, coupled with her failure to obtain the expected war supplies and foodstuffs from Russia and the Balkans.

5. The possible wisdom of striking before the British get their full expeditionary army in place along the western front.
6. The fact that the ground and waterways have been frozen, thereby making military operations somewhat easier. It is reported, however, that a thaw has set in.
7. Possibly the idea of securing permanent control of the mouth of the Rhine in Holland. Germany would give much for that.

The idea of a drive against Holland seems rather more reasonable strategically at this time of year than an adventure into Belgium. It is hard to believe that the Nazis, unless pushed to it, would attack Belgium in winter.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Champaign Man's Third Effort to Get Divorce Fails

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—The third district appellate court today knocked out the third attempt of George Grein of Champaign to divorce his wife, Cora, and held he had committed a fraud upon Nevada courts in obtaining a Reno divorce.

The appellate court's opinion reversed a decree of the Champaign county Circuit court which had dismissed the petition of Mrs. Grein for an annulment of the Reno divorce. The case was remanded to the lower court with directions that the Nevada divorce be ruled illegal and void.

Grein had failed twice in Illinois courts to obtain a divorce. The fraud, the Appellate court opinion said, was perpetrated by Grein's not advising the Nevada court of his failure to receive a divorce in Illinois.

The Appellate court's decision said it "is a well-established proposition that where one spouse goes to a state other than that of matrimonial domicile and there obtains a divorce under a residence simulated for that purpose, and not in good faith, the judgment is not binding upon the courts of other states x x x."

"Under the record we are compelled x x x to find that the defendant was not a bona fide resident of the state of Nevada, and that he was guilty of fraud and deception in that he failed to advise said court of the Illinois rulings."

The opinion said that while Grein testified he went to Nevada primarily for his health, he started the divorce action there two days after he had completed the six weeks' residence required by Nevada law. The court also pointed to testimony that Grein owned property at 305 East Daniel St. in Champaign. The Reno divorce action was started Aug. 31, 1936.

WAR SHADOWS ON EUROPE'S NEUTRALS

Foot of Snow Sunday Blocks Highways

HIGHWAY CREWS BATTLE DRIFTS FAR INTO NIGHT

Heaviest Snow Reported Along Mississippi and Northwest

A 12-inch snow fall in the Dixon district over the week end made highway traffic in this vicinity hazardous but motorists who braved the storm were able to negotiate the highways in this immediate section. Several motorists remained in Dixon over night when it was reported that some highways were snow blocked.

State division of highways crews worked throughout Sunday and last night in opening the highways for traffic. Reports today indicated that the heaviest snow fell along the Mississippi river in the north and northwest section of the Dixon district highways department, and several of these roads remained closed today.

Some Roads Blocked
Several state highways which were closed to traffic this morning were expected to be opened during the day. Route 70 from Rockford to Durand was closed as were routes 75 from Freeport to Rockton; 26 from the Wisconsin line to a point between Polo and Forreston; 73 from the Wisconsin line to Lanark; 78 from the Wisconsin line to Morrison, and heavy snow blocked several routes in the neighborhood of Rock Island and Moline. Galena was reported to be practically snow bound with all state highways blocked.

Routes out of Dixon to Rockford, Sterling and Chicago remained open and traffic was operating south to Mendota. Saturday night the heavy snow was mixed with rain and with a drop in the temperature late Sunday, ice formed and all traffic was slowed up. The falling temperature was accompanied by a high wind which drifted the snow in many places.

Lee county highway patrolmen started operation of snow plows Sunday evening in an effort to open drifted roads but were comm-

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John Collins, Negro, Committed to Menard

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Notice that John Collins, young Negro youth originally sentenced last July to electrocution for the holdup slaying of Paul LaMaster, commandant of a CCC camp near Mt. Carroll, had instead been committed to the Menard hospital for criminal insane was filed with the state Supreme court today.

Collins, who was 17 years old at the time of LaMaster's murder, was adjudged insane in a Carroll county Circuit court hearing Dec. 16. Illinois law forbids the electrocution of an insane person.

The Supreme court recently consented to review the conviction of Collins and his brother, Clarence, 14, the latter sentenced to 20 years in prison for complicity in the slaying. The high court, in accepting the case for review, indefinitely postponed the execution.

The commitment of John Collins to the Menard hospital was for an indefinite term, subject to future order by the Supreme court.

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BURNS PROVE FATAL
Herrin, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Russell Watson of nearby Energy, 24, died in a hospital here early today of burns received in an explosion and fire at the Egyptian Powder Company plant near Herrin Jan. 2.

Watson and four other employees of the plant were burned and two of them preceded him in death.

Judge Refuses to Quash Indictments Against Bowen, Hinton and Williams

Kankakee, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Circuit Judge Roscoe C. South today refused to quash indictments against three defendants charged with malfeasance in office in connection with the typhoid deaths of 52 persons at Manteno state hospital last summer.

Judge South heard arguments on the motions last Friday, but withheld ruling. The only exception in his ruling was on an indictment against Mrs. Lillian Williams, dietitian, charging mal-treatment of an unnamed patient. This count was quashed, but there are two remaining counts against Mrs. Williams.



Titular Bishop

MOST REV. JOHN F. O'HARA

Who yesterday relinquished the presidency of the University of Notre Dame to become titular bishop of Milasa. He will serve as auxiliary bishop of the United States army and navy. Story on page 12.

Mt. Vernon Methodist Church Burns Today

Mt. Vernon, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—The Wesley Methodist church was destroyed and the adjoining parsonage and a house across the street from the church were damaged extensively by fire here today.

The loss of the church building was estimated at \$10,000 by a church board member who said the insurance totaled \$6,000. The building was being remodeled and one of the three workmen discovered the fire.

Salem and Benton fire companies assisted the Mt. Vernon firemen in fighting the flames.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Big Four Railroad is Forced to Haul Water

Harrisburg, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Its reservoir dry and a second source of water supply shut off on account of the continued drought, the Big Four railroad was hauling water five miles from a mine reservoir here today to operate its steam locomotives.

The railroad reservoir has been dry since November and the C. I. P. C. Company, which operates the water system here, notified railroad officials it was discontinuing the water service extended the railroad during the last few weeks.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Patrick A. O'Malley Dies at Chicago Home

Patrick A. O'Malley, aged 62, a native of Marion township, passed away Sunday afternoon at 4:30 at his home in Chicago after a week's illness. He was born in Marion township, the son of John H. and Ann O'Malley. His father and wife preceded him in death and he is survived by his mother, three sisters and five brothers as follows: Mrs. John Shaughnessy of Freeport; Mrs. Michael Powers of Marion township; Mrs. James McCarthy of Chicago; Charles and Michael of Marion township, Edward of Dixon and John and Joseph of Sterling. Funeral services will be conducted at the Jones funeral home Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 9:30. The Rev. Fr. James Burke officiating and with interment in Oakwood.

PLOT TO SMASH GOVERNMENT OF U. S. IS ALLEGED

FBI Says Arrest of 17 in New York is Just Start of Drive

New York, Jan. 15.—(AP)—A plot to smash the government of the United States and replace it with a dictatorship through bombings and assassination was charged today against 17 New York members of a "Christian Front."

J. Edgar Hoover, head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, implied, in announcing the disruption of the alleged plot, that the 17 now under arrest were merely the nucleus of a nationwide conspiracy.

One of the men arrested, John M. Ryan, was released during the night. P. E. Foxworth, FBI agent in charge of the New York Bureau, confirmed Ryan's release but declined comment.

FBI agents were searching in many localities for caches of arms such as the "small arsenal" they found in New York City in the course of a continuing six-month investigation of the alleged conspirators.

Arraigned before Federal Court Judge Grover Moscovitz in Brooklyn, the men pleaded innocent and were held in \$50,000 bail each for hearing February 5.

They were charged specifically with "conspiring to overthrow, put down and destroy by force the government of the United States, and oppose by force the authority thereof; also to seize, take, and possess property of the United States."

One of the 17, Macklin Boettger, 32, did not appear and was to be arraigned later.

Possible Penalty

The penalty could be six years in prison and a \$5,000 fine for each.

Among their tentative aims, Hoover said, was the assassination of 12 congressmen—identities not disclosed—as examples to all those who voted for repeal of the arms embargo.

The day for striking against the government, Hoover said, was to be soon after a final drill in bombing and firing which had been set for January 20—next Saturday.

While the store of "revolutionary" arms here was comparatively small, Hoover indicated many more guns and bombs might be found elsewhere.

He said elaborate plans had been made for the theft of arma-

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Snow Storm Cause of Funeral Postponement

(Telegraph Special Service)
Forreston, Jan. 15.—Funeral services for Ollie Trei who passed away at his home two miles east of here Friday evening, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home and 1:30 at the West Grove church. The rites to have been held today, were postponed due to the heavy snow which blocked roads, but it is expected that the services can be held tomorrow. Rev. Stroth of the West Grove church will officiate and burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Trei, 60, was born March 8, 1879 in Stephenson county, the son of Anna and Martin Trei. He was married in Forreston Sept. 4, 1901, to Katie Link.

Surviving are his widow; three sons, Robert, Lawrence and Howard, all of Forreston; one daughter, Mrs. Oscar Viemeier also of Forreston, one grandson, and one brother, Fred, of St. Louis, Mo.

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Heroine of Plane Mishap



—Courtesy Moline Dispatch
MISS MARY ANN MCCLEARY

Former Dixon young lady, stewardess on the United Air Lines transport liner which made a forced landing on the ice in Rock river near Moline Friday morning, shown holding the beautiful Chinese robe which was given her by the grateful passengers on the plane.

Pasteurization Act Upheld By Appellate Court

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—The third district appellate court today upheld validity of the state pasteurization act and decided that decisions of the state insurance director as to whether insurance companies were complying with the state code are not subject to review by the courts.

The appellate court affirmed refusal by the Sangamon county circuit court to issue an order in favor of the Economy Dairy company of Chicago which would have compelled the state health department to issue a certificate entitling it to operate as a dairy.

The state health department had refused to grant the firm a certificate of compliance with the pasteurization act on grounds that the company sold a portion of its bulk and "subject to contamination."

In declaring executive acts by the insurance director "within the scope of his authority are not and should not be subject to review by the courts," the appellate court affirmed another decision of the Sangamon county circuit court.

The case was instituted by some 1,900 individuals operating as agents of Lloyds who claimed they were operating under improperly issued certificates. The certificates in question are restrictive in nature because of the insurance director's ruling that the London insurance group have not fully complied with Illinois code requirements.

The Weather

MONDAY, JAN. 15, 1940

(By The Associated Press)
For Chicago and Vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday; considerably colder; lowest temperature tonight near 5 above zero; moderate northwest winds.

Illinois: Fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight; continued cold Tuesday.

Wisconsin: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight; continued cold Tuesday.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 p. m.: Saturday—maximum temperature 32, minimum 8; cloudy; precipitation .02 inches.

Sunday—Maximum 34, minimum 25; cloudy; precipitation 1.06 inches (12 inches of snow); total for month to date 1.34 inches.

Tuesday: sun rises at 7:34; sets at 4:57.

TERSE NEWS

SEN. NYE AT STERLING

It was announced in Washington today that Senator Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota will address a Republican meeting in Sterling Feb. 13.

LICENSED IN IOWA

Marriage licenses have been issued in Clinton, Iowa to Orin Jay Simpson and Sarah Hof, Paw Paw, Ill.; Linn Johnson of Compton, Ill., and Dorothy Prentice, Paw Paw, Ill.

LETTERS ARE DELAYED

Due to the snow mail routes around Dixon have been delayed and letters from correspondents in some of the surrounding towns failed to reach the Telegraph in time for publication today.

VOLLEY BALL MEETING

An organization meeting and practice session for the local business men who are interested in forming a volley ball league will be held tomorrow night at the high school gymnasium at 5:30 o'clock. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

LICENSED TO WED

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Sterling Schrock: James R. Sheridan of Malta and Miss Mary Fern Mihm of Milan township, DeKalb county; Sylvester Jones and Miss Hilda Chaon of West Brooklyn; Leonard Amos Lefelman of Lee Center township and Miss Frieda Jennie Steder of Amboy.

HERE TOMORROW

Walter R. Borman, manager of the Rockford field office of the Social Security Board will be at the city hall from 9:00 to 12 o'clock tomorrow morning to aid any employers or employees in the vicinity who may desire assistance. He will address the members of the

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Annual Cooking School Comes to Dixon Next Week

The greatest news that The Dixon Evening Telegraph can offer its women readers is that one of its major promotions, its sixth annual Cooking School, is coming to town next week—Jan. 23-26, to be exact. The newly-remodeled Dixon theater will be the convenient headquarters for the school, which will be conducted daily at 1:45 P. M. by Mrs. George Thurn, noted culinary and homemaking expert.

Believing that neighborliness begins at home, the Telegraph takes pride in announcing its own practical Good Neighbor policy, and has completed detailed plans for a community-wide convention of homemakers, where brides and grandmothers will be equally interested and equally welcome.

Hospitality will rule in a friendly atmosphere, natural to a group called together by the universal appeal of the most important subject in the world—homemaking. Even though they may live blocks apart, or miles apart, the Telegraph's Good Neighbors will focus their undivided attention on the modern, completely-equipped kitchen which will serve as a laboratory during the four inspiring convention days.

Each member of the audience will share the mutual thrill of watching a nationally-known home economics expert at work in this immaculate, stage laboratory, just as she shares the advantage of wise counsel from a trained authority.

Mrs. Thurn understands more than the art of simplified homemaking. She knows and likes people, even when they stare in fascination at every deft movement of her busy fingers; even when they ask the flock of questions which will be welcomed as wholeheartedly as the guest pupils.

She keeps right on working—measuring, sifting, blending and beating, while she chats informally to her audience. Long years of thorough training and study.

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Truck Drivers Given Bronze Safety Medals

Five members of the truck driving force of the Rock Island Transfer Company in the Dixon district have been awarded bronze medals by the National Safety Council for non-accident records. District Manager Charles L. Ballard announced today that four of the awards covered a two-year period and one was for a driver with but one year's experience.

Robert Mossholder and Charles Sodergren of Dixon were the recipients of bronze medals for a record of two years without an accident. Charles Hamilton and John Atwill of Waterman also received two year awards and Leo Hill of Mendota received a one year award.

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Hugh Blackburn, Sr. of Marion, is Called

Hugh Blackburn, Sr., aged 78, passed away at his home in Marion township Saturday evening after a lingering illness. The funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the home and at 9:30 at St. Mary's Catholic church at Walton. Interment will be in Oakwood in this city.

Besides his widow he is survived by four sons and two daughters; John and Hugh of Walton, James of Sterling, Leo at home, Mrs. Frank Eccles of Sublette and Mrs. Cecil Kellen of Dixon. Two children preceded him in death. Ten grandchildren, five brothers and three sisters also survive to mourn his passing. The complete obituary will be published later.

BELGIANS, DUTCH ALSO ALARMED BY NAZIS' MOVEMENTS

Reds' Aerial Activities Cause of Apprehension Among Scandinavians

War in Brief

(By The Associated Press)
Amsterdam—Belgium and Netherlands under virtually complete mobilization after unconfirmed reports of German troop concentrations across frontier.

Berlin—Germans call war scare "made in Paris"; disclaim plans to invade neutrals.

Moscow—Russia announces Sweden and Norway gave unsatisfactory replies to soviet protests charging neutrality violations by giving aid to Finland.

Copenhagen—Sweden reported to have protested to Moscow against bombing of Swedish island.

Helsinki—15 killed, dozens wounded by soviet air-raids on Finnish cities Sunday.

London—Leaves for British expeditionary forces cancelled; British not said to call Pan American neutrality safety zone unenforceable.

Washington—Sentiment grows against granting Finland \$60,000,000 loan.

BULLETIN

Vuuri, Finland, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Twenty-one Russian bombing planes attacked Vuuri today, killing two persons, injuring many and leaving a whole street or stores demolished.

Newspaper correspondents in a private home 50 yards from where the first bomb landed had difficulty in reaching air-raid shelters and falling debris.

(By The Associated Press)

War shadows today fell heavily across the northern neutral nations, arousing their fears that Scandinavia and the low countries might be engulfed in Europe's two wars.

Belgium and The Netherlands, wedged between warring Germany and the allies, massed about 1,000,000 men on their eastern frontiers as a precaution against any German attack. They indicated the defense measures were inspired by reports of German troop concentrations opposite their borders.

High Berlin sources called the war scare "made in Paris" and repeated that Germany had no intention of enlarging the conflict to include the small neutrals. Scandinavian apprehension grew from worsened relations with soviet Russia and signs that the Red army was ready for a new major offensive against embattled Finland.

Russia disclosed she had protested to Norway and Sweden, accusing them of neutrality violations through anti-soviet press campaigns and by permitting

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First True Bills Found in Chicago Building Inquiry

Chicago Jan. 15.—(AP)—A Federal grand jury today indicted 41 persons and corporations in the tile industry on charges of violating the anti-trust laws.

The indictments were the first returned in the government's investigation of the building trades in Chicago.

Among those indicted were the largest tile manufacturing companies in the United States, prosecutors reported. Leo F. Tierney, special assistant to the attorney general, said the firms produce and furnish approximately 90 per cent of the tile used in the Chicago area.

The companies named were the Mosaic Tile Co., Zanesville, Ohio; United States Quarry Tile Co., Parkersburg, W. Va.; the National Tile Co., Anderson, Ind.; the Wheeling Tile Co., Wheeling, W. Va.; Robertson Art Tile Co., Morrisville, Pa.; the Standard Tile Co., Zanesville, Ohio; Superior Ceramic Corp., Anderson, Ind.; Sparta Ceramic Co., East Sparta, Ohio; American-Franklin Olean Tiles, Inc., Lansdale, Pa.; and the Cambridge Tile Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Also indicted were six individuals who represent some of the companies in the Chicago area. They are Joseph A. D'Eath of American-Franklin Olean Tiles, Inc.; James A. Falconer and Robin K. Silvey of the Mosaic Tile Co.; Walter Sullivan of the Wheeling Tile Co.; Edward Derbacher of Robertson Art Tile Co.; and R. C. Paulvetter of The United States Quarry Tile Co., and the Spar Ceramic Co.

Postmasters at Nelson, Eldena and Sublette Forced to Quit by New Rule

Three Lee county postmasters will retire at the close of the present month and become pensioned postal employees, because of a new regulation making mandatory the resignation of postmasters at the age of 70 years. Those affected by the new ruling are: M. C. Stitzel of Nelson, J. J. Barton of Sublette and Mrs. William Erbes of Eldena.

Earle Stitzel has been appointed acting postmaster at Nelson succeeding his father who has conducted the office for the better part of 26 years. Thus far successors have not been named in the offices at Sublette and Eldena, it was reported today.

There have been rumors that the office at Eldena might be discontinued and the village serviced by rural route out of the Dixon postoffice. However there appeared to be little credence given this report today when it became known that a number of applications have been forwarded to the Chicago postal headquarters for the position.

DIXON TELEGRAPH COOKING SCHOOL

IS COMING TO TOWN NEXT WEEK



**Educational
Entertainment
for
Everyone**

Hospitality will be the keynote of the brisk new Cooking School, which has been carefully planned to fit the needs of homemakers in this community. Presiding over the modern kitchen will be a nationally famous lecturer, who will demonstrate many branches of practical homemaking. Appetizing recipes, printed on the daily programs, will be followed in each step of preparation, while time and labor-saving equipment is watched in actual use. Home problems will be discussed helpfully and informally at the entertaining gatherings, where everyone will be welcome. This is an open-house invitation. No tickets! Plan now to attend every session.



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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the Farewell Address.

DEFENDING AMERICAN SHORES

It is always easier for military and naval leaders to "talk turkey" with Congress when the grim reality of war is readily apparent somewhere in the world. The contempt with which civilians are likely to treat uniformed dignitaries during peace time vanishes quickly the moment a gun goes off.

The discomfiting picture drawn by Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, before the House committee on naval affairs, might have been accepted with cynical smiles a few years ago. The possibility of a foreign coalition attack on the United States would have been regarded as sheer fantasy.

Today, Congress and the nation are willing to listen. The United States fleet, said the admiral, is badly prepared to meet the shock of any enemy coalition on both its shores. Unless the fleet is enlarged at least 25 per cent, the naval leader estimated, the United States will find itself in a relatively weak position at the end of the present war. Admiral Stark urged the committee to recommend immediate passage of the Vinson naval expansion bill to appropriate \$1,300,000,000 for naval additions.

Coming simultaneously with the admiral's testimony was the report of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, which suggested dire possibilities if any nation ever found cause to attack the United States. Production of bombing planes capable of making non-stop flights across the Atlantic and back to European bases was given as an implied threat against American security.

Other experts have offered, from time to time, what they believe to be evidence of threat to America's alleged impregnability. Military and naval men are worried as they watch the world grow smaller.

Some of the standpat isolationists are resolved to disregard this testimony. But most congressmen are willing to listen, just as the rank and file of citizens in the United States are willing to listen and wonder how much of all of this is true. The world is in an explosive state, and military men are being given an ear these days.

Few people have any real idea as to how serious these potential threats to our security may be. Finland, it was generally believed, would fall in a week or so when Russia began pushing across the Finnish border. But Finland is holding on, and the Soviet troops are being thrown back.

The United States, under any circumstances, must be prepared to a reasonable point. In a world that is armed to the teeth, the best security for any nation is to have plenty of powder and to keep it dry.

At the same time, we must avoid the mistake of plunging the nation into a financial state based on military economy. We can be over-prepared, too. We must guard against letting military appropriations get out of hand. The best kind of defense against external enemies and domestic chaos is a proper balance between war expenditures and normal peace-time operations.

WE FIGHT OUR OWN WARS

The belief that the United States can not remain out of the European war is not by any means justified. The statement that England and France are fighting a battle for the United States is not true. To imagine that these countries would fight for us while refusing to pay their debts is absurd.

If France and England are fighting for the United States, then it follows that they are also fighting for Switzerland, the Netherlands, Belgium and all other neutrals. One never hears of these belligerents telling the Swiss, for instance, that they are fighting on behalf of the Swiss. Our Swiss friends are too well informed.

As a matter of fact, the United States can not afford to have any other power fighting American battles. When we have any fighting that needs to be done, we ought to do it ourselves, and if any other country is now engaged in a bloody war on our behalf, we should ask that power to stop at once.

We say this while mindful of what happened to Spain. Russia penetrated Spain and began working for the good of democracy, sweetness and light. General Franco, however, didn't want sweetness and light, so he attempted to overthrow the Reds. Immediately Germany and Italy began fighting for Spain, and that country became a battleground for American, English, Irish, French, Russian, Italian and German volunteers or regular army units, all fighting each other and factions of the Spanish people, and all in the interests of humanity, democracy, sweetness, light and such stuff. The result is that Franco is obligated to a certain extent to the forces that helped him win.

We don't want to be obligated to any other power, and the most positive way to prevent that is to scotch immediately any delusion England and France may have that they are helping Uncle Sam.

BUSINESS MARCHES ON

That wasn't just a mirage you saw—the business curve is really heading toward the ceiling. Glance at the evidence, noticeable in reports and utterances released every day. John W. Hanes, until recently under-secretary of the Treasury, who might be expected to know, had this to say: "There are signs that, if the abnormal circumstances and conditions abroad do not prevent, we have begun to enjoy what should be a reasonably long and sustained period of good business, increased industrial production and higher employment."

On the same day, the General Electric Company reported substantial increases in the quantity of electric power used, with resultant orders for expensive new equipment, coming in from all over the country.

And the Pennsylvania department of public assistance announced that one-third fewer persons were compelled to accept state aid in 1939 than in 1938.

Yes sir, this looks like the real McCoy.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

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Washington, Jan. 15.—The British are known here to be preparing a clever campaign to get away from U. S. credit restrictions. They want to promote repeal of the Johnson act and modification of the cash and carry provisions of the new shipping law. U. S. officials are advised about it.

The bait that will be offered will be large scale promises to buy American farm products—a sort of an international Pikey-Minnow of rainbow hues, but not without hooks.

The Downing street thinkers know full well the influence of oppressed farmers in legislative halls and are working on the assumption that if they let it be known they could buy more cotton, pork, etc., in case credit barriers were lowered, they will get powerful domestic forces working their way. It may not turn out as well as they hope.

Unfortunately for their purposes, the agriculture department has already looked into the foreign exports situation and found that Anglo-French war policies are responsible for their failure to buy more—not lack of credit facilities.

The allied blockade has cut off all former American markets in central Europe. Britain on the other hand is plowing up her grass fields for planting and is rationing to conserve food. She has adopted policies of getting what she needs in farm imports from empire nations. From European neutrals who might otherwise ship to Germany and from Latin American countries like Argentina (wheat and beef) where the exchange situation is favorable to her. From three sources most of her needs can easily be met.

Furthermore, dollar purchasing value of sterling has fallen one-fifth in the last 18 months, which makes American products cost Britain more than in some other neutral countries. The French have licensed imports, fixed prices, joined Britain in banning American apples and pears. There is even a prospect that Britain may sell France some of her stored cotton rather than cause the French to spare their exchange from purchases of airplanes and needed industrial materials.

No one here believes the allies can make that Pikey-Minnow look good enough to get a bite.

Roosevelt and his men show no signs of weakening on the credit matter. Personally, they appear to be perturbed because the question may be seriously presented in a campaign year before this session of congress is very far along the way.

If the war turns suddenly destructive and the Germans bomb civilian populations in London, they may find some administration officials ready to listen to their pleas, but not now.

A peace plan is forming in the back of the president's mind, but he does not want it called a plan. It has a long way to go yet, and in its present stage, seems nothing more than a general notion about dropping tariff and financial barriers and removing economic pressures in the future post-war world.

Roosevelt's new foreign correspondent, Myron Taylor, assigned to the Vatican beat, is carrying these ideas abroad, but apparently not in concrete form. The president also discussed them with Churchill.

Only development expected is a move to educate the world to this method of orderly living.

Senator Wagner's committee is doing what it can to avoid the investigation it was ordered to make into central banking and fiscal policies—and will probably succeed. As Senator Adams of Colorado told the committee in executive session: "If we are going to have a full investigation of all these things now, let's get a large room at St. Elizabeth's (psychiatric hospital) so they won't have to take us very far when they come to get us."

One senator claims to have a list of 27 Democratic presidential candidates or prospects now sitting in the U. S. senate. He says he had 30 a week ago but has eliminated 3 so as to be conservative. He thinks it proves definitely Roosevelt cannot get a third term nomination against such heavy local competition.

PLUMBERS TO MEET

Rockford.—(AP)—The 47th annual convention of the Illinois Master Plumbers Association will open here tomorrow, continuing for three days.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Not all of the Latin names of plants are difficult to remember. We use many such names as acacia, asparagus, aster, begonia, clematis, geranium, magnolia, smilax, and spirea.

One Is Beloved

BY LOUISE PLATT HAUCK

Chapter 37

PITY NOT WANTED

Sue waited; surely Bob would seek her out now. But five minutes passed, ten. The suspense became unbearable. Her actual waiting began to seem an admission of wrong doing. She walked quickly across the room, across the hall. Bob was sitting in a deep chair, staring absently almost sleepily. It seemed a first, at the terrible fireplace.

"Bob!"

The face he turned on her made her cry out.

"Bob, you mustn't look like that! I mean I've done nothing wrong. I don't know what Eric told you, but—"

"He told me that you loved him ever since you and he met, that you had left my house to go to him when your Treadons failed, and duty—duty, Sue! brought you back. He told me you had admitted you never loved me. He said that even two weeks ago you—my wife and the mother of my children—had assured him that you never had felt toward me, as you felt toward me—as you felt toward him. Is this—true?"

The tight band about her heart began to loosen. This was something she could fight.

"Literally I suppose it is, Bob; actually I mean in the spirit of the situation—it is not. I was young and very foolish when I met Eric. I thought I loved him. Perhaps I did. Certainly the thrilling, hot-and-cold, ecstasy-and-anguish feeling I'd read of and never felt before was awakened by—by Eric. I told you when we were married I was afraid it might be by some man I'd never met. It happened to be Eric. But, Bob—a forlorn little laugh escaped her pale lips. "I found it—that sort of emotion—a much overrated thing! It didn't stand up against the gesture of a man's desire to be with you when—when the crash came, I—"

"That's enough! I don't want a wife who lives with me because she is sorry for me!"

"I don't know what was exactly sorry for you then, Bob. And certainly I'm not now. I'm only sorry for myself if you're going to let Eric make trouble between us. Why—she faced him with hands outspread in a gesture of appeal. "I'm not afraid of you. I'm not afraid of your anger. I'm not afraid of your scorn. I'm not afraid of your rejection. I'd hurt his vanity—badly in New York; he wanted to punish me by trying to destroy my happiness with you. Are you going to let him, Bob?"

He seemed not to hear her. "All these years when I thought you were such a good little sport—when I told myself that you must love me after all, or you'd not have loved me along—"

"It was true, Bob!"

"—it was because you were sorry for me; you pitied the silly young ass who had thrown away his father's money, the business man about the size of his pants, honest, then you, Sue! She would not stay with the husband she'd stopped loving. You were a traitor to both Farraday and me, to him when you turned back at Kansas City, to me when you left me!"

"I came back to you, Bob!"

"Purely because of an accident. If the failure had come one day later, you'd have been with Farraday. All this—except the arm about the room—would never have been. The children would never have been born. Oh, my God," he groaned, "think of that! My children owe their very existence to the accident of my business failing one day instead of the next!"

Nothing To Forgive

She swallowed past the lump in her throat. "Most human relationships develop from charity. Bob, if you don't mind, I've slept all night on the top of Wyeth Hill, we'd never have met—the children would never have been born. And there was something more than accident in my return to you, there was my own will, my decision."

He said: Farraday tells me that for days afterward he wired you, called you from New York. And I knew nothing about it! I was fool that I was—kept telling myself that there was one bright spot in the mess I'd made of things, that you were standing by me."

"And wasn't I, Bob?"

"That I might have—have put aside," he said moodily, choosing his words. "It was a long time ago, people change. I've changed a lot myself. But to listen to that confounded smug voice telling me that now—now—two short weeks ago, you'd admitted to him—"

New York that you felt for him, that you'd never felt for me—his face was suddenly congested. "Damn you, Sue, I'll never forgive you for that!"

Her own temper, disciplined through many years, was rising. "There's nothing for you to forgive! It's perfectly true—what I said to Eric; I never shall feel for you what I felt for him. But you might have let me explain that I consider my—my love for you a far finer thing than any—"

In her turn she choked, putting her hand to her bare throat. "Listen," he said suddenly. "Do you know what happened while I was away? Treadons had bought out the old Treadon business in St. Joseph; it's to be Pearson's Peerless Treadons. I've had Allen angling for weeks to buy back our house—the one I bought for you when we were married. I was keeping it for a surprise. I thought—the children can live in Sue's home town. She can have her old friends about her again. She and I can try to let furniture as much like that first lot as it's possible. I can make up to her at last for what I lost. I was just waiting for Allen to bring the deed to surprise you with my news. Now—"

he rose heavily, as if he had aged.

"You're sure there's nothing wrong, Sis?" Allen asked anxiously.

"What should be wrong, Buddy? Bob's gone East to see Mr. Pearson. He told you that when he telephoned you."

"I know. But he was in such a tearing hurry to get hold of the house he talked as if he'd be moving in as soon as it could be redecorated. And now he's been gone almost a month. I suppose—"

"He hesitated—it was his manner when I talked to him. He seemed—unlike himself. Sue's hands went steadily on with her sewing. She was sitting with her brother on the side porch which overlooked the garden, beyond which lay the river. She was finishing a little dress for Susan, and she paused herself with it determinedly.

"Perhaps it was because he was so excited about the new company," she commented. "Revising the old name—at least combining it with the Peerless products, and getting our old house back." She changed the subject abruptly. "Where, by the way, are you and Barbara going to live, Allen?"

"At once her affairs were forgotten. Allen launched gaily upon his own.

"You'll never guess, Sue! And it's Barb's choice, not mine. Not being in the shoe business, and the career of engineering being no more prospective than it has been for the last half dozen years, I can't afford country estates for my—my wife." There was something almost boyishly shy in the way he said the last word. "I made a clean break of my assets, and I'm going to Barb; the old furniture in storage, my surplus bank account, my salary. And she's come out strong for—the brick dining room-kitchen place where you and Bob first lived after his first job here! What do you think of that?"

"Good for Barb!" She laid down her work and looked at him with an affectionate smile.

"Don't know it! Barbara, and the right kind of a home, and—"

"I don't know it! Barbara, and the right kind of a home, and—"

"A sudden mist veiled the dark eyes which were gazing at him so affectionately. "I am, oh, I am Allen! I miss him—"

"You two—"

"You're a model pair, Sis; and to think I had my doubts about your marrying him! Somehow I got the impression that you didn't love him enough. I was so wrapped up in Pats I guess I measured all our love by my own. Give the old by my best when you write!"

"I will," she walked with him to his car, raised her face for his brotherly kiss, and went back to her chair with utter desolation at her heart.

Write Bob? If only she could! She had sent one desperate, pleading letter to the Pearson office in New York. It had been returned to her unopened. She had not dared write Pearson himself. She had not dared make open inquiries. All she could do was to wait; wait until Bob's rare and precious letter came, but terrible anger had subsided, but terrible anger had returned to him. That he had not done anything reckless she knew by the fact that his business in Atchison went on as usual. The manager called her occasionally, remarked chattily that Mr. Treadon would be pleased at the month's volume of money Bob had left her was in its own way reassuring; ample for a month or so but not as a sum on which to live very long.

When Allen had gone that first evening, flinging what he needed into a bag and telling her in bitter brief phrases that he had to get away to think things over, she had been conscious of a misty anger, but not a misty anger. It was all such a tempest in a teapot, she thought.

Continued tomorrow

YEARS AGO

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity In and the Past

(From Dixon Telegraph)

48 YEARS AGO
This morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in Dixon occurred the wedding of Charles Pfeiffer of Ashton and Miss Lilian Lance of Reynolds township.

Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Catherine Winters, Miss Minerva Mae Winters was united in marriage to William J. Stauffenberg, both of this city.

Dixon is to be the terminal for the new Peoria & Northwestern line, the new time table to become effective Sunday.

25 YEARS AGO
Three departments of agriculture arrived in Dixon today to inspect herds of cattle in this vicinity.

Deputy Sheriff Stuart Nettz went to Arthur, Ill., today to return Charles Aldrich to the county jail to answer to a statutory charge.

Mrs. Marie T. Wood passed away at her home, 620 North DeWitt avenue this afternoon.

10 YEARS AGO
James F. Haley, veteran insurance agent in this city yesterday retired from active business and his interests were transferred to the firm of Haley & Arnold.

Horner and Kelly Confer; Stelle Un-mentioned at Meet

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Governor Horner and Mayor Edward J. Kelly arranged to put the Democratic state central committee in a state-endorsing role again today, but they shed no light on the 1940 campaign status of Lieutenant Governor John Stelle.

The governor and the mayor, Illinois major Democratic leaders, spent four hours together in Kelly's Lake Shore drive apartment yesterday.

A statement in their behalf said neither would "endeavor to dictate any slate or individually run the party." It added that the two men would confer again, probably around the end of the month, and proposed that the state committee follow the customary procedure of recommending candidates for the April primary.

A chief question before the Democrats is whether Stelle should be renominated as lieutenant governor. Some Horner men have advocated that his post be given to someone else. Stelle's efforts to consult the governor have been unsuccessful.

Horner, on his first trip to Chicago in several months, visited his doctor Sunday afternoon before calling on Kelly and staying for supper. Afterward Tax Commissioner Charles K. Schwartz, from the Horner camp, issued their statement.

Official Statement
"The governor called on the mayor for the purpose of talking over legislative matters and the general good of the Democratic party. He was invited to stay for supper. There was nothing controversial and there were no names mentioned as possible new candidates. They will meet again in 10 days after the mayor returns to the city.

"Neither the governor nor the mayor will endeavor to dictate any slate or individually to run the party. Their thought is that the state committee should make every effort to select a ticket worthy of the Democratic party. Both gentlemen will abide by the result of the thought coming from the analytical minds of the party. In other words, both indicated they were for the good of the general public welfare."

Kelly has endorsed the governor's third-term campaign, but nothing has been said publicly about most other places on the party's state ticket.

Kelly to Florida
Kelly plans a trip to Florida in a few days, but his aids said he would return in time to meet with Horner and other Democratic leaders in time for the state committee meeting by early February, when nomination petitions must be filed at Springfield.

The state committee, composed of Kelly-Nash men from Cook county districts and Horner men downstate, has endorsed slates in most of the recent primary campaigns.

Harmony atmosphere at the Sunday conference was in contrast to the Democratic situation four years ago, when the Kelly-Nash faction failed to keep Horner from renomination at the end of his first term.

Before returning to Springfield, the governor planned to visit De Witt Billman, secretary of the Legislative Reference Bureau, in Passavant hospital.

Nothing was announced by the governor regarding a date for convening the special legislative session expected soon. He had Billman's legal help in drafting calls for special sessions.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Obituary

MRS. FRED H. HILL
(Contributed)

Charlotte Ann Miller, daughter of Samuel and Marie (Mawn) Miller, was born near Marion, Franklin county, Pa., March 21, 1860 and passed away early Wednesday morning at her late home east of Dixon after a short illness. She came to Illinois with her parents when she was quite young and settled on a farm east of Dixon. On Feb. 17, 1885 she was married to Frederick Hill of Dixon, who preceded her in death four years ago. Those left to mourn the loss of a kind mother are two sons, Samuel J., and Lester A. Dixon is to be the terminal for the new Peoria & Northwestern line, the new time table to become effective Sunday.

Two sons, Leo and Frederick preceded her in death.

Mother's sleeping, gently sleeping. Now we know she is at rest, And in Heaven with the loved ones keeping Watch and guard upon the rest.

Brother, sister, may we ever Do the deeds she loved the best: And be ready when they call us To dwell with her among the blest.

Long we've had our darling mother— Here on earth with us to dwell: Now the loved ones over yonder Have her with them and all is well.

Soon we'll join them up in Heaven And can't keep her long hand. Where we'll all be reunited, In a large and happy land.

"Upward" is away from the center of gravity, and out in space there is no absolute "above" or "below." Inhabitants of the earth and the moon could be looking directly at each other, and each would be gazing straight up, away from the gravity center of his own planet.



"Get busy! I'm getting sick and tired of hair going down my neck!"

New Books Another Service Offered Readers of the Telegraph

Many New Volumes in Reading Library

ABRAHAM LINCOLN: THE WAR YEARS.—Sandburg
These four volumes constitute a major work. The industry they represent, their range of information, and their adaptability to leisurely reading, by reason of their style and chapter arrangement make them an outstanding contribution. It can be said that no American biography surpasses it in wealth of documentation and fidelity to fact, that one can compare with it in strength, scope and beauty.

WOE UNTO YOU, LAWYERS!—Roddell
Sharp criticism of the law, lawyers and courts by a professor of law at Yale university. The author concludes that we would all be better off if we did away with law and put the settlement of disputes into the hands of non-legal experts. A surprisingly cheerful book.

PORTRAITS OF JENNIE—Robert Nathan
A short, charming novel, in which the author takes a few liberties with time.

LET THE PEOPLE SING—Priestley
The amusing adventures of an old-time vaudeville comedian in a staid English village. There is a little attempt at social meaning but the novel never becomes serious.

SEA ISLAND LADY—Griswold
Long. Chronicle of a family in South Carolina. It began with the Civil War, and continues through the years to 1920. The heroine is a Northern girl who marries first a carpet-bagger and later a member of one of Beaufort's most aristocratic families.

—FEED THE BIRDS—
AROUND THE BIRD—
REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS—
J. H. Radley, W. D. to Jeremiah C. Baker, et ux \$400 L 4 B 2 Wheeler's Add Paw Paw.

Martin J. Tosney WD to Scott K. Byers, et ux \$10 L 20 Bellevue Add Dixon.

W. G. Kent et ux QCD to Edith Vaughan Eichel \$100 L 17 & n 34 ft L 18 B 12 Gilson's Add to Amboy.

John W. Carlson et ux Tr Dd to M. T. Trust Co. \$472 L 76 Steinman's Add N. Dixon.

Nellie M. Bevin et al by Mas. Mas. Cer. to Fed Farm Mtg Corp. \$8000, se4, Sec 19; sw4, nw4, Sec 26, sw4, sw4, Sec 24, Natchua-Chicago Twp.

Roy A. Giffin et ux WD to Margaret R. Miller \$125, Lts 13 & 14 B 2 Geisinger's Sub L 1 B 14 Compton Add to Compton.

L. H. Chusius, et ux WD to A. Lewis Hull \$1.00 pt B 60 North Dixon; pt se4, nw4, Sec 23 Dixon.

A. Lewis Hull WD to Harvey R. Crusius and J. R. Joynt co-tenants same as above.

Anna Bremer QCD to Thos. V. Ahrens et ux \$1.00 N 50 ft L 2 B 28 N. Dixon.

Releases
Donald B. Raymond to Kenneth F. Haller et ux.

Kittie
Kittie B. Holt to Martha E. Ciesinski.

Citizens St. Bk. Walnut to Anthony Brandenburg.

H. G. Byers, Tr. to M. E. Potter.

J. U. Weyant, Tr. to Wm. H. Remmers, et ux.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Sacrament" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 14.

The Golden Text was, "I am the Lord that bringeth you up out of the land of Egypt, to be your God; ye shall therefore be holy, for I am holy" (Leviticus 11:45).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy lovingkindness; according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions. Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me. Rede me not in the lie of the salvation; and uphold me by thy free spirit" (Psalms 51:1, 10, 12).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "One's aim, a point beyond faith, should be to find the footsteps of Truth, the way to health and holiness. We should strive to reach the corner-stone of all spiritual building is purity (p. 241).

Over 2,000,000 cases of sardines were packed in Maine in 1939, according to the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries.

EX-LIBRARIAN DIES
Chicago.—(AP)—Miss Caroline Louise Elliott, former reference librarian of the Chicago public library, died last night. She would have observed her 82nd birthday anniversary today. Miss Elliott, a native of Quincy, retired in 1937 after 56 years' service with the library.

—FEED THE BIRDS—
Nearly 20 per cent of traffic accidents are due to carelessness or improper signals being given by motorists, or to complete failure to indicate intention to stop, turn, or slow down.

Society News

STATE CONSERVATIONIST IS GUEST SPEAKER FOR DIXON WOMAN'S CLUB ON SATURDAY

Dixon Woman's club members are well informed concerning "Wild Life Conservation in Illinois," after listening to a lecture on that subject by J. C. McConaha of Pontiac, an employee of the state department of conservation at Springfield. Mr. McConaha, a speaker who knows how to blend entertainment and information, addressed the clubwomen at their first meeting of the new year Saturday afternoon in the Guild room at St. Luke's Episcopal church.

The speaker expressed admiration for efforts of Women's clubs in co-operating with projects which promote the general pursuit of happiness, and said his department is doing all in its power to aid the same cause, by providing good hunting and fishing. And he is willing to predict that Illinois sportsmen and women "now stand at the threshold of a hunter's and fisherman's paradise," provided by his department, assisted by various sportsmen's clubs throughout the state.

Mr. McConaha said it is the duty of his department to protect all wild game and fish; and the game warden's task is to enforce laws enacted for this purpose. Although generally resented at first, the speaker believes the codes have become accepted and are receiving co-operation rather than violation.

Gives Statistics
He spoke of accomplishments of the state's seven fish hatcheries and its six game farms, and quoted figures illustrating rapid progress in production and distribution. In 1933, he said, the department raised 3,000 quail, and last year, raised and released 45,000 of the birds. Pheasant farms, located at Yorkville and Mt. Vernon formerly produced about 15,000 birds, increasing the number last year to 55,000. In addition, sportsmen's clubs contributed 34,000 game birds, and were given the privilege of releasing them wherever they chose.

The output of conservation department-produced fingerlings in 1933 stood at 10,000,000. Last year's total was 48,000,000. The division of forestry Women's clubs, local CCC camps, and various telephone companies and individuals were credited with supporting the department's project. In addition to Sportsmen's clubs, similar to those which have been organized at Sublette and Ambloy. It is the aim of the department, he explained, to preserve a certain percentage of the increased supply of game and fish, and all of the breeding stock. When persons are convicted of violating the fish and game laws, whatever game found in possession of the violator is confiscated and given to state-supported hospitals and institutions.

Shows Pictures
The conservationist also showed moving pictures, illustrating the life development of pheasants and quail, from the time they are hatched until released, and various kinds of game fish, including channel cat fish, blue gills, crappies, small and large-mouth bass and spoonbill catfish. The latter fish, the clubwomen learned, is found only in the Mississippi river and some parts of China.

He sees soil erosion as a decided detriment to game fish since spring thaws wash top soil into

ian native costumes, native dolls, hand-wrought jewelry, and pottery water flasks, brought recently from Budapest by Mrs. Glatter's parents.

Mrs. Adolph Eichler described the Christmas party given by her public health department, for the Nursery school. Gifts, candy and fruit were distributed to 30 children.

Mrs. O. F. Goeke and Mrs. Lester Street presided at the yellow and white tea table. Yellow tapers in crystal candelabra shone down on a center bouquet of yellow jonquils and white Christmas chrysanthemums.

RECEIVES NUPTIAL NEWS IN OREGON

Mrs. Mary Beaman of Oregon has received announcement of the marriage of her granddaughter, Miss Mary Jane Beaman, daughter of the Harold Beamans of Green Bay, Wis., to Clifford L. Proctor, son of Mrs. Edward Proctor of Green Bay, Saturday afternoon, Dec. 23, at the home of the bride's parents.

The Harold Beamans formerly resided in Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Proctor will make their home in Green Bay, where the bridegroom is employed at a locker food plant.

ARCHERY CLUB FETES NEWLYWEDS

Members of the Dixon Archery club honored two of their members, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cory, newlyweds, at a recent skating party at the Pines. Before her marriage in Clinton, Iowa on Dec. 30, Mrs. Cory was Miss Courtney Clinker.

In behalf of the group, Bill Thompson, vice president of the club, presented the couple with a household gift. Twenty-three members and guests were in attendance.

DOROTHY PRENTICE BECOMES BRIDE

Miss Dorothy Prentice, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Prentice of Paw Paw, and Linn Johnson, son of B. F. Johnson of Compton, were married Saturday morning in Clinton, Iowa. The double ring ceremony was performed at 11:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Nelson of Compton accompanied the couple to Clinton. The bride is residing on the Johnson farm near Compton.

TEACHER IS SURPRISED

Donald Clark, seventh grade teacher at the Lincoln school, was unaware of the surprise celebration arranged in honor of his birthday anniversary Friday afternoon, until students of Miss Esther Barton's eighth grade room arrived unexpectedly to sing a "happy birthday" song and present him with a gift.

HIGHWAY CLUB
Members of the Highway club were dining together downtown Saturday evening. Afterwards, the group was invited to the Chris Popma home for bridge games. Four tables were in play.

Ruby Grimes is Complimented at Chinese Party

The Misses Mary Kathryn Slagle and Betty Moerschbaecher were hostessing Saturday evening at the Slagle's new Cape Cod home on East Chamberlin street, complimenting a January bride-to-be, Miss Ruby Grimes. A chop suey dinner was served, and the Chinese motif predominated throughout.

A center bouquet of calendulas and a tiny, Chinese bride pair decorated the dinner table, which was lighted with orange-colored tapers. Chinese characters trimmed the corners of the napkins.

The subtle fragrance of Chinese incense lingered about the rooms, where tables were made up for fan tan, a pastime originated by the Chinese. Oriental favors were won at the card tables by the Misses Dorothy Cromwell and Lorraine Giannoni. A shower of personal gifts was presented to Miss Grimes, fiancée of Robert Coakley.

Gift cards read for Mrs. Ralph Grimes, Mrs. George Curtis, Mrs. Earl Slagle, the Misses Lorraine Giannoni, Barbara Campbell, Kathryn Furlong, Janice Brant, Frances Crawford, Dorothy Cromwell, and the hostesses.

MURRAY'S HAVE CHINESE GUEST
Dr. and Mrs. Warren G. Murray entertained an interesting and charming guest over Sunday, a young Chinese woman, Miss Gloria Wu of Anhvia Tun Cheng. Hers is one of China's leading families.

Her father is in the banking business, and her uncle, Dr. Li Chu Hsu of Cheng King is surgeon general in the medical division. Miss Wu has just completed an extensive tour of the south and east, and while in Washington, D. C., was the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Ching Ma Shaw, second ambassador from China to the United States.

The young woman is on the staff of the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn., where she will serve as nurse until next October. Afterward, she expects to return to China and continue her profession.

Sally Prescott Has Unusual Pets



Sally Prescott, little daughter of the Lyle Prescotts of "Shore Acres" has a number of pets and toys to play with, and among her recent additions are two exciting new pets, a pair of white-tail deer. Sally is pictured above with the deer, which she has named Phil and Ruth.

Before coming to their new home in Dixon, Phil and Ruth roamed Mackinac Island with hundreds of other deer which inhabit the Michigan state game preserve on the island. A. N. Knick accompanied Sally's father to the island, where arrangements for transfer of the deer were made by Sally's grandfather, F. D. Schrader of Plymouth, Mich., and John Haggerty of near Plymouth. Mr. Haggerty formerly served as chairman of the Michigan state park board for four years and is also a former secretary of state.

Phil, namesake of a member of the Michigan department of conservation, is about three years old and weighs approximately 170 pounds, though he is expected to weigh 220 pounds or more when fully grown. Ruth weighs close to 110 pounds. She is a little more friendly than Phil, though both now are quite tame and accept food from Sally's hand. They are darker brown in color than most of the deer seen on the island, and were selected particularly for their handsome coats.

The acre enclosure where the deer are housed at the Prescott home has a boundary of deer fencing. The deer sometimes lie down in their 10 by 12 shelter for a daytime nap and always feed there, but prefer to spend the night in the open. During the past two days, they have been frisking about with more playfulness than usual, making the most of Dixon's first big snow of the winter.

Alfalfa and timothy hay comprise their principal winter diet, though clover hay, a favorite food with deer, will probably be substituted next summer for the present menu.

NACHUSA CIRCLE HONORS BRIDE

Mrs. Sidney Heagy, a recent bride, was presented with a floor lamp for her new home, when members of the Nachusa Teachers Reading circle met Thursday evening at the home of the president, Miss Grace Jacobs. Mrs. Heagy and Miss Emma Butler received favors in the evening's pastime, contact.

Reports from "The Rural Teacher's Work" were given by Mary Wolf and Alice Rossiter. Miss Leona Heberlein entertained with an account of her trip to New York.

Besh wishes to Mrs. Heagy were extended by the members in the form of notes, which were read aloud. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother and sister.

Mrs. Alice Rossiter will entertain on Feb. 8.

NEEDLEWORK CLUB

Mrs. Lee Rintoul has invited members of the Nimble Thimble club to meet at her home on Jan. 25. Last week, the group was entertained at the country home of Mrs. Vernon Rhodes.

PICNIC SUPPER

Mrs. Zoe Osborn Latham entertained eight guests Friday evening with a picnic supper at her apartment on Crawford avenue.

PERSONALS

Rae A. Arnold, district deputy of the Knights of Columbus, attended a meeting for district deputies of Illinois yesterday at the Palmer House in Chicago. Supreme Knight Francis J. Matthews of New Haven, Conn., and several state officers, addressed the group.

Dance tonight Rosbrook hall. Adv.

Mrs. William Hintz, relief principal for Dixon schools, who has been ill since the holidays, is somewhat improved.

Miss Nina Walrad, Dixon teacher, spent the week end at her home in Pearl City, and was unable to return to Dixon today because of snow-blocked highways.

Miss Alice Crandall, a teacher at the Lincoln grade school, is ill. Mrs. Charles Upham of New York City and the Misses Caroline and Bess P. Eells, who have been staying at the Edgewater Beach hotel in Chicago, for several weeks left Thursday for Atlantic City. Miss Kitty Vail, nurse for Miss Caroline, has returned to Dixon.

Oscar Missman of the Dad Joe Trail was in Dixon Saturday on business.

Robert Hunter of East Grove township was a Dixon visitor Saturday.

(Additional Society on Page 7.)

Read How to Relieve Misery of

CHEST COLDS COUGHING COLDS STUBBORN HEAD COLDS

Don't keep on suffering, day after day, from the stuffiness, coughing, soreness and muscular tightness of a cold without doing something about it.

A cold is bad for you—bad for those around you, too. What's more, you can't trust the simplest little cold not to grow worse.

Do As Millions Do
So do what millions of people do. Have on hand a jar of Vicks VapoRub—the famous poultice-vapor treatment you can depend on to relieve miseries of chest colds, nasty coughing colds and stubborn head colds.

You can use VapoRub in so many

ways. It acts to relieve miseries like a good old-fashioned poultice. Also, its medicated vapors are breathed into cold-irritated air passages to help relieve the congestion and loosen phlegm. And, when you melt it in boiling water, it gives you a marvelous medicated vapor-steam treatment.

These simple VapoRub treatments are standbys in millions of homes—used whenever colds strike. More people use the poultice and vapor action of VapoRub than all similar treatments combined. Follow the full tested directions that come with every jar of VapoRub.

VICKS VAPORUB

Calendar

Monday

Rock River Camera club—Will submit prints for January contest.

Dixon circle, No. 72, Ladies of G. A. R.—Practice for installation, 7:30 p. m.

Lee County Historical society—Amos Bosworth, host; Miss Esther Barton, speaker.

Membership committee, American Legion Auxiliary—at Mrs. Addie Snyder's home, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday

Dixon Travel club—Miss Nina Walrad, hostess; Mrs. J. Schwaner of Polo, speaker.

Golden Rule class, St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school—At church, 7:30 p. m.; Miss Caroline Renekin, hostess.

True Blue class, Methodist church—Scramble supper at E. M. Greene home, 514 First street, 6:30 P. M.

Wednesday

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance

New York—Heavy; fresh selling unsettled. Stocks: Heavy; fresh selling unsettled. Bonds: Lower; rails head retreat. Foreign exchange: Nervous; gold in sharp break. Cotton: Irregularly higher; foreign and trade buying. Sugar: Firm; trade and refiner buying. Metals: Steady; scrap copper cut a cent. Wool: Improved; short covering.

Chicago—Wheat: Higher; European news. Corn: Higher. Cattle: Strong to 25 higher. Hogs: 10-25 up; top \$6.00.

Chicago Grain Table

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	98 1/2	100 1/4	98 1/2	100 1/4
July	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Sept	96	97 1/2	96	97 1/2
CORN—				
May	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
July	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Sept	55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
SOY BEANS—				
May	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
July	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Sept	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
RYE—				
May	69	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2
July	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2
Sept	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2
LARD—				
Jan	5.85			5.85
BELLIES—				
Jan				5.85

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 2 yellow hard 98 1/2; No. 3 64 1/2; No. 1 yellow 59 1/2; No. 2 59 1/2; No. 3 58 1/2; No. 2 4 57 1/2; No. 1 white 65 1/2; No. 2 65 1/2.

Oats sample grade mixed 36 1/2; No. 2 white 43 1/2; No. 3 41 1/2; 42 1/2; sample grade white 40 1/2.

Soy beans No. 2 yellow 11 1/2; No. 3 11 1/2.

Barley malting 54-66 nom; feed 40-50 nom; No. 3 barley 62; No. 3 malting 54.

Timothy seed 4.60-90 nom.

Red clover 12.50-15.00 nom.

Alfalfa 15.00-18.00 nom.

Alfalfa 17.50-22.50 nom.

Sweet clover 4.50-5.25 nom.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—(U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Potatoes receipts 227, on track 355, total US shipments Saturday 918, Sunday 95; dull slightly weaker undertone, supplies liberal, demand slow; sacked per cwt. Idaho Russet Burbanks US No. 1, few sales 1.80-95 mostly 1.82 1/2-85; Colorado Red McIntoshes US No. 1, very few sales 1.60-70; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs 90 per cent or better US No. 1, washed 1.95-2.00; 80 to 85 per cent US No. 1, unwashed 1.60-62 1/2; Michigan Russet Rural US No. 1, late Saturday car 1.45; Minnesota Red River Valley section early Ohio US commercials 1.25; North Dakota Red River Valley section cobbles 75 to 85 per cent US No. 1 very few sales 1.27 1/2-37 1/2; Bliss Triumphs 85 per cent US No. 1, 1.30; early Ohio unclassified 1.15; Wisconsin round whites unclassified 1.10; new stock dull, weak under easy demand, light demand very slow; less than carlots, bushel crates Bliss Triumphs Florida US No. 1, washed few sales 1.75-82 1/2.

Poultry live: 7 trucks; steady; hens over 5 lbs 14 1/2, 5 lbs and under 15; Leghorn hens 10; broilers 2 1/2 lbs down; broilers 14; Plymouth Rock 16 1/2, white rock 16 1/2; Leghorn springs 9 1/2; springs 4 lbs up colored 13; Plymouth Rock 16 1/2, white rock 16; under 4 lbs colored 14; Plymouth Rock 16 1/2, white rock 16; bareback chickens 10; roosters 9 1/2; leghorn roosters 9 1/2; ducks 4 1/2 lbs up colored 10, white 12; small colored 8, white 8 1/2; geese over 12 lbs 11 1/2, 12 lbs and down 13; turkeys, old toms 11, young toms 18 lbs up 12 1/2, under 18 lbs 13; hens 15 1/2; capons 7 lbs up, 15, under 7 lbs 16. Dressed turkeys, steady; young toms box packed 19, bbl packed 18; young hens box packed 20 1/2, bbl packed 19 1/2.

Butter 525.059, steady; creamery 23 score, 30 1/2-31; 92, 30; 91, 29 1/2; 90, 29 1/2; 89, 29 1/2; 88, 28 1/2; 90 centralized carlots 30-30 1/2. Eggs 92 1/4; firmer; fresh graded, extra firsts local 19 1/4, cars 19 1/4; current receipts 17 1/2; refrigerator extras 15 1/2, standards 15 1/4, firsts 14 1/2.

Butter futures, storage stds close Jan 28.70 Feb 28.60. Egg futures, referi stds Jan 14.95. Fresh graded firsts Jan 15.00.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—(U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Salable hogs 11,000; total 30,000; opened active; fully 25 higher than Friday's average; spots up more; later trade unevenly 10-25 up; top 6.00; bulk good and choice 160-240 lbs 5.75-6.00; 240-270 lbs generally 5.50-5.60; most 270-350 lbs butchers 5.35-6.50; strictly good and choice 130-160 lbs averages 5.25-7.50; good 360-550 lbs packing sows 4.50-5.00.

Salable cattle 7,500; salable calves 500; receipts sharply abridged because of storm conditions; very few truck cattle here; run mostly medium to good steers, yearlings and short-fed heifers; general market 25 higher; fairly active at advance; most steers 8.75-10.75; but 12.00 bid on several loads; salesmen attempting to beat 12.00; early top 11.75; several loads 11.00-50; stockers scarce; slow; best heifers 10.25; with numerous loads 7.75-9.25; weighty cutter cows up to 5.75 and better; canners strong to 15 higher at 4.25-5.00; no outstanding; 30-70 sausage bulls here; and 7.60 paid for meaty beef type offerings; practical top vealers 12.50; 50 higher.

Salable sheep 6,000; total 8,000; fat lambs and yearlings slow; undertone steady to easier; early bids and sales good to choice woolled lambs downward from 9.00; best held 9.10-25 and upward; five decks good slaughterer yearlings 8.00; best held higher; sheep steady; few native ewes 4.00-50.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 7,000; hogs 15,000; sheep 10,000.

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

All Gov 3 1/2; All Gov D 17 1/2; All Str 3 1/2; All Str Ch 3 1/2; Am 11 3/4; Am Car & P 26 1/4; Am Com Ale 6 1/2; Am Loco 19 1/4; Am Met 23; Am P & L 4 1/4; Am R & S 9 1/4; Am Roll M 15 1/2; Am S & L 4 1/4; Am SUI Edr 27 1/4; A T & T 18 1/4; Am Tel B 8 1/4; Am Wat Wix 11 1/4; Am Zinc L & S 6 1/4; Anaconda 28 1/4; Arm III 5 1/2; A T & S F 22 1/2; Atl Ref 21 1/4; Atl Corp 8 1/4; AV Corp 6 1/4; Bald Loco Ct 15 1/4; B & O 5 1/2; Barnes Oil 12 1/4; Beech 27 1/4; Ben Av 27 1/4; Beth Stl 7 3/4; Boe Airpl 22 1/4; Borden 22; Borg War 23 1/4; Cal & Hec 6 1/4; Can Dry G Ale 16 1/4; Can Pac 5; Cater Tractor 32; Celanese 27 1/4; Cer de Pas 35 1/4; Cert Teed 5 1/4; C & O 39 1/4; C M St P & P 1 1/4; Chrysler 82 1/4; Coc Cola 118 1/4; Col P P 17; Col G & E 6 1/4; Com Cr 47 1/4; Com Sol 13 1/4; Com & So 1 1/4; Corn P 6 1/4; Curt W 9 1/4; Deere 20 1/4; D L & W 5; Doug Air 76 1/4; Du Pont 17 1/2; Eastman Kod 158 1/4; G E 38 1/4.

Gen Foods 46 1/4; Gen Motors 41 1/4; Gil Saf R 6 1/4; Goodrich 17 1/4; Goodyear T & R 22 1/4; Graham-Paige Mot 5; Gt Nor Ir Ore St 16 1/4; Kt Nor Ir P 23 1/4; Hudson Mot 8 1/4; I C 11 1/2; Int Harv 55; Johns Man 71; Kenn Cop 35 1/4; Kimberly Clark 35; Kresge 24 1/4; Krog Groc 28 1/4; Lib O F G 48 1/4; Ligg & M 1 1/4; Mack Trucks 25; Mar Field 13 1/4; M K T P 37 1/4; Nash Kel 7; Nat Bis 23 1/4; Nat Cash R 15 1/4; Nat Dairy P 16 1/4; Newport In 11 1/2; N Y C 16 1/4; No Am Av 23 1/4; No Am Co 22 1/4; Nor Pac 8 1/4; Oil Trub 6 1/4; Oils Stl 10 1/4; Owens Ill 60 1/4; Packard 3 1/4; Para Pic 7 1/4; Penn RR 21 1/4; Phil Mor 88 1/4; Phil Pet 39; Pub Svc N K 40 1/4; Pullm 28; R C A 5 1/4; R K O 1 1/4; Rem Rand 9 1/4; Rep 13; Rep Stl 10 1/4; Rev 9 1/4; Swift 22 1/4; Tex Corp 43 1/4; Tex Gulf Sul 33 1/4; Tex Pac L 7 1/4; Tim Roll B 47; Twn C 11 1/4; Un Carb 82; Un Pac 93; Unit Air 44 1/4; Unit Corp 2 1/4; Unit Drug 5 1/4; Unit Fruit 82 1/4; U S Rub 36 1/4; U S Stl 59; U S Stl P 116 1/4; Warner Bros 3 1/4; West Un Tel 23 1/4; Westing Air Br 24; West El & M 106 1/4; White Mot 11 1/4; Wilson 5 1/4; Woolworth 40; Wrigley 85 1/4; Yell Tr & C 17 1/4; Ye ngst Sh & T 41.

U. S. Bonds Close

New York, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Bonds closed today:

Treas 3 1/2 45-43 109.30

Treas 4s 54-44 114.22

Treas 3 1/2 56-46 114.27

Fed Farm Mfg 3s 49-44 108

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DIXON BOYS PLEDGED

Frank J. Daschbach, Jr., and E. Phillip Ollman, Jr., both of Dixon, have been pledged by University of Chicago chapters of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Phi Delta Theta fraternities, respectively, announcement from the university said today. Daschbach is a graduate of St. Johns Military Academy at Delafield, Wis., and Ollman of Amboy township high school.

FOUND CAR IN GARAGE

Gilbert Frase of Woosung reported to the sheriff's office today the loss of his car, which he abandoned Saturday night one mile south of Woosung when the machine skidded from the highway into a ditch. In the investigation it was found that the car had been hauled from the ditch to a local garage late Sunday afternoon without a report having been made to the sheriff's office or police department.

BABY PASSES AWAY

Bryan, the five-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Buckaloo of Bethany, Mo., passed away at their home Sunday morning, the child's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buckaloo, were informed by telephone yesterday. The body will be brought to Dixon for burial in Oakwood cemetery following short services at the Preston funeral home here at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

DIES IN OMAHA

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Margaret Brady, of Omaha, Neb., at 4 P. M. Sunday, following a brief illness from pneumonia. She was a daughter of the late George and Margaret Origiesen of Dixon. A brother and sister, Dan Origiesen and Mrs. Harry Carpenter, were en route to her bedside when word of her death reached here. The funeral will be held at the Harry Carpenter residence, 618 Nachusa avenue, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

AT JOURNEY'S END

Edward Church and LaVerne Duciano, two 15 year old students of the Glenbard high school near Chicago, gathered together a few belongings Saturday morning and decided to seek a warmer climate in the south. They boarded a west bound NorthWestern freight train which arrived in the Nelson yards late Saturday and the two runaways were almost exhausted from cold and exposure. They were accommodated with warm surroundings at Nelson until this morning when Sheriff Finch brought them to Dixon and they started on the return trip to their homes.

FRACTURES PELVIS

Mrs. Azalia Pomeroy sustained a fractured pelvis in a fall on Saturday, and was taken to Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital, where she is recovering satisfactorily.

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Ring Bologna 12 1/2 lb

Bacon Jowls 9c lb
Grapenuts 2 pkgs. 25c

Belgians, Dutch—

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volunteers and war supplies to flow to Finland. Moscow said the Swedish and Norwegian replies, disclaiming unilateral actions, were not entirely satisfactory.

There were reports that Sweden had protested to Moscow against a bombing raid on the Swedish island of Kallaks and that Russian planes had made incursions into far northern Norway.

Finland Cities Bombed

Kallaks, 60 miles from the nearest Finnish territory, was raided yesterday while soviet warplanes bombed a score of southern Finnish cities.

Part of the raids centered on the Turku-Helsinki railway, a link with ship lines which bring supplies from Scandinavian neighbors. Russia is determined to cut off supplies to the Finns.

Finland said 15 were killed and dozens wounded in the Sunday raids.

Dispatches from the frigid northern war front expressed belief the Russians were planning a swift blow there soon because they lacked supplies to wait through the winter for a spring offensive.

Belgium's defense precautions brought virtually complete mobilization and the movement of many civilians from border provinces facing Germany. Belgians said secret service reports motivated the steps in fear that German might try to outflank the allies' heavily entrenched positions on the western front.

All Leaves Cancelled

The Netherlands cancelled all military leaves, keeping 400,000 men in the nation's defense works. Leave for the British expeditionary force in France also were cancelled.

Germans called the war scare an attempt to provoke the reich into some hasty action since the western front is stalemated and attributed it to Premier Daladier. The French indicated they took a serious view of the situation, but asserted that diplomatic rather than military pressure was to blame.

Both Germany and France reported the western front still quiet.

The effect of Europe's war continued to be felt in the Americas, where Pan American representatives gathered at Rio De Janeiro to consider neutrality measures.

British said their government, in a reply to a protest by the 21 American republics against violation of their "safety zone" around the Americas, held the neutrality belt was unenforceable under international law. The protest followed last month's battle of three British cruisers against the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee off Uruguay.

Sentiment Against Loan

In Washington sentiment grew against making a suggested \$60,000,000 loan to Finland in fear that direct financial assistance to a warring nation might embroil the United States in European warfare.

Senate Majority Leader Barkley told reporters, after an hour and a half conference with the president, that "we discussed the whole situation with reference to Finland, and the president will send a communication to the two

houses in the very near future."

Relations with the United States were kept in the forefront in Japan, where a new government was formed to replace that of Premier General Nobuyuki Abe, who resigned after failing to placate the United States over fraction in the Far East.

Admiral Mitsumasa Yonai, Japan's naval chief, was named premier. A foreign office spokesman said he would continue efforts to reach some agreement with the United States to cover relations when the Japanese-American trade treaty expires January 26.

Authoritative Washington sources declared, however, that the United States would enter into no temporary agreement unless given effective guarantees of equal treatment in the Japanese-occupied sections of China.

Plot to Smash—

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ment for revolutionary use from National Guard arsenals. In fact, six of those under arrest were listed as members of the New York National Guard, one as a member of the naval reserve and another as belonging to the marine reserve.

One was described as a member of the German-American Bund, whose fuhrer, Fritz Kuhn, is in Sing Sing prison for stealing bond funds.

"The group depended," Hoover said, "upon terrorism and ultimate demoralization of communities to attain their objective. First of all they aimed at terrorization of Jews—all Jews. At the same time, according to their plans, they were to seize communications, transportation systems, customs and postoffices.

CATCH GERMAN SPY

Washington, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Stephen T. Early, a presidential secretary, said today that the finger-printing of members of the crew of the scuttled German liner Columbus had resulted in the catching of a German spy "who otherwise would have escaped."

He told reporters that all members of the crew had been fingerprinted. One man, he said, was a spy, but did not disclose his name or for what type of espionage he was wanted.

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LODGE NEWS

Knights of Columbus will meet at the K. of C. hall at 8 o'clock this evening for installation of officers. A social hour will follow.

Installation—Members of Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 423 held formal ceremonies for their newly-elected officers, Friday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. Edna Pine and Mrs. Carrie Kizer doing the exemplification of the ritual.

Mrs. Hattie Rossiter, the retiring noble grand received a gift from the lodge and she remembered each of her officers with a gift. The installing staff included: Deputy President, Mrs. Mariah Muzey; deputy marshal, Miss Gladys Hardesty; deputy chaplain, Mrs. Della Bott; deputy secretary, Mrs. Florence Krug; deputy treasurer, Mrs. Libbie Shaver; deputy inside guard, Mrs. Catharine Shaulis; deputy outside guard, Mrs. Helen Herman; deputy musician, Mrs. Edna Pine; deputy herald, Mrs. Emma Heid.

Those installed were: Noble Grand, Mrs. Mariah Muzey; vice grand, Mrs. Priscilla Hyde; recording secretary, Miss Florence Stoner; financial secretary, Mrs. Mary Filton; treasurer, Miss Cora Person; Warden, Mrs. Helen Herman; conductor, Miss Gladys Hardesty; inside guard, Miss Lorraine Hull; outside guard, Miss Sue Matson; right supporter to the Noble Grand, Mrs. Catharine Shaulis; left supporter to the Noble Grand, Mrs. Mariah Muzey; right supporter to the vice grand, Mrs. Carrie Kizer; left supporter to the vice grand, Mrs. Ella Bohlen; chaplain, Mrs. Elizabeth Beier; musician, Miss Verna Peterson.

Refreshments were served following the installation ceremony. The new candidates recently initiated were seated at one table with the retiring officers. All of the tables were prettily decorated.

Royal Neighbors of America installed new officers Thursday, as follows:

Past Oracle—Christine Mail. Oracle—Edith Barnhart. Vice Oracle—Ella Hobbs. Chancellor—Dora Heft. Recorder—Dora Fruin. Receiver—Ellen Groth. Flag Bearer—Emma Baker. Marshal—Marie Wadzinski. Asst. Marshal—Lois Krug. Inner Sentinel—Blanche Steinbeck. Outer Sentinel—Ida Tetric. Faith—Minnie Miller. Modesty—Arlene Bellows. Unselfishness—Mary Pittinger. Endurance—Verna Peterson. Courage—Clara Slick. Musician—Mary Mathias. Christine Mail acted as install-

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ing officer and Marie Wadzinski as ceremonial marshal. The marshal escorted the musician and installing officers to the oracle's chair and she presented them with a gift and in return they presented the oracle with a gift. After a few words of appreciation were given, Lunch was served by the committee Minnie Miller and Marie Wadzinski.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Annual Cooking—

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combined with actual home management, are behind that ability to mix and bake before a battery of hundreds of attentive eyes.

First-time Cooking School attendants have a real treat ahead, and experienced homemakers who think they know all about Cooking Schools will discover that this one is still new news, for each program will be freshly stimulating, crammed with information and surprises.

Enterprising firms and merchants are joining forces with The Telegraph in making possible the four free sessions. These participants are providing a generous array of products, which will fill a series of daily gift baskets. Watch The Telegraph for added

PLAN MEMORIAL ALTAR

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Incorporation papers were issued today to a non-profit organization formed to erect a marble memorial altar to the late George Cardinal Mundelein in the Holy Name cathedral in Chicago.

Incorporators and directors of the corporation are William H. Sexton, Walter J. Cummins and Charles C. Kerwin. The organization stated it would receive contributions for the memorial.

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Last Rites

Rev. J. F. Anderson officiated in the funeral services of Harry Strader Tuesday afternoon. Harry Grant Strader was born in Paw Paw, Ill., Oct. 16, 1864, the youngest son of William and Sarah A. Strader. He grew to manhood there and on March 8, 1888, was married to Miss Rachel E. Morris, in 1898 he moved to Amboy, where he was engaged in farming. In 1910 he moved to a farm near Wheaton, Minn., where he continued farming until his health failed. In 1930 he moved to Wheaton, Minn., where he was a descendant of John Hopkins, signer of the Declaration of Independence. He was a member of the first board of directors of the Wheaton Creamery, the board of the Farmers' Elevator, the Lake Valley Telephone Co., and the Carlton town board. He was always interested in community activities and had many friends. On March 8, 1938, he and Mrs. Strader celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Strader was a member of the Lutheran church, where he was buried five years, during which time he was confined to his bed. He passed away Jan. 3, 1940. He leaves his widow and five children, Mrs. Grace Miller, Mrs. Mary Morris Strader and Mrs. Melvin Beckman of Wheaton, Mrs. Daniel E. Morrison of Aberdeen, S. D., and Mrs. Floyd Winterland of Rockford, seven grandchildren, two great grandchildren, one brother Willis Strader of Omaha, Neb.

Error

An error was made in the fact that Robert L. Bracken spoke at the Amboy Woman's club Monday afternoon instead of John P. Devine.

P-T. A.

The Temperance Hill P-T. A. held its January meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock. E. Keithley spoke on "Indian Legends." Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and apples were served.

Townsend Club

The Townsend Club will meet Tuesday evening at the W. R. C. hall. The president, Clarence Gerwecke requests each member to bring a new or old member of the club. There will be refreshments, cards and bingo games.

John Deere Day

John Deere day will be held Tuesday at 10 a. m. at the Catholic hall. There will be a free lunch at noon. Ed Branigan sent free tickets to farmers last week. There will be refreshments, cards and pictures as main attraction.

Here and There

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Montavon have named their baby Marilyn Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Robbins will entertain the members of their pinocle club this Monday evening. Mrs. Mary Tait will entertain the Neighborhood club Wednesday afternoon with a scramble dinner at noon. Lena Blowers entertained the Lutheran Ladies Aid Thursday afternoon at her home. The Methodist Ladies Aid society will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon. Miss Hazel Barnes will be the hostess.

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ROCHELLE

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Vesper Tea Hour

Mrs. Doris Law and Miss Mabel Oakland, both of Rochelle, were guests of a supper at the Rochelle Methodist church Sunday afternoon. The hours were 4:30 to 5:30 p. m. Miss Oakland was guest organist and Mrs. Law was guest vocalist. The program was as follows: Wagner's "Prelude," "Chorus," "Wagner's Summer Idyl," "Rothschilds' An Autumn Sunset," "Harris' I Heard a Forest Praying," "Peter DeRose Beloved It Is Morn'g," "Florence Aylward A Wish," "Ernest Charles The Star of Bethlehem," "Rogers Dream-Song," "Claude Warior Doris Law In a Monastery Garden," "Ketsley Song of Joy," "Frydges Meditation," "Stuiges Mabel Oakland Seraphic Song," "Rubenstein Doris Law and Choir Sleigh Choir."

Hardware Company Moves

The Phelps Hardware company, which is November 15, was forced to move to a new location due to fire, will transfer their merchandise back to their former location. Time set for the transfer was next Monday. The building has been entirely redecorated, and all other damage repaired.

All American Youth Orchestra

An announcement recently been made by Audrey Williams, National Youth Administrator, that all young men and girls under 25 years of age will be eligible to compete for a place in Leopold Stokowski's all-American youth orchestra which will make a good-will tour of South and Central America. Application blanks may be secured at the Central grade school in Rochelle.

To See Hockey Game

Fred Warming of Rochelle is taking reservations on bus transportation to Chicago, on January 28, to see the Chicago Black Hawks play the Montreal Canadiens. All hockey fans will be interested to know that this special bus will cost less than usual transportation costs. Reservations are for thirty only.

Teachers' Meeting

Rural teachers in Ogle county spent yesterday at Oregon at a Rural Teachers' meeting. The meeting was planned by County Superintendent of Schools W. L. Pickering. The program included speakers as follows: Dr. Robert Phillips of Purdue University; Glen K. Kelly, Research Director and Field Secretary of the Illinois Association of School Boards, Springfield; and

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Community Chest

The Community Chest board met at the village hall Monday night. The treasurer reported the total amount spent the past year on relief as \$150.82 and allotted to organizations according to budget, \$1512.25, leaving a balance of \$339.33 in the relief fund and \$198.78 in the general fund. The drive was short \$200 this year but due to the balance left last year the organization will have sufficient funds for the year's program. It was voted to pay 70 per cent of the budgeted amount to the benefiting organizations. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Harold Ross, chairman; Jim Watt, vice chairman; Paul Yoe, secretary and Fred Dean, treasurer.

Convalescent

E. S. Munnica is convalescing nicely at his home on East Hill. Although he is still under a nurse's care, he is able to be up a few hours each day and is steadily gaining in strength.

Is Ill

Eldridge Middow has been quite ill, with a near-siege of pneumonia.

Town Board

At the January meeting of the town board plans were made for improving a portion of Brayton road, expense to be met with revenue from the motor fuel tax. They also discussed the opening of Mulberry street from First Street to Sunset Lane. This would open up a natural thoroughfare for traffic from Sunset Lane to the school and would be more convenient for golfers and plant workers in the west part of town. The McGee Construction company was awarded the contract to build a shelter over the new deep well pumps and equipment.

New Address

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Powers have moved from the Nunn apartments to an apartment in the Royal Holden residence.

Teachers' Institute

The following rural teachers of the Mt. Morris neighborhood attended the rural teachers' institute in Oregon Friday: Mrs. Pearl Davis, Mrs. Lucy Highberger, Mrs. Pauline Hagerman, Mrs. Viola Meeker, Mrs. M. Derby, Mrs. Walter Meinhold, Miss Lola Miller, Miss Emma Fen and Miss Esther Stengel.

Bank Officers

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens' National Bank, H. E. Coffman was named a director to succeed E. S. Munnica, who has resigned. Other directors re-elected at this time were C. A. Wishard, F. J. Dean, R. W. Hough and Price Heckman of Polo. At the close of the stockholders' meeting the directors met and re-elected officers as follows: C. A. Wishard, president; F. J. Dean, vice president; L. C. Lundgren, cashier and Mary J. Middlekauf, assistant cashier.

Organization Meeting

All ladies in Mt. Morris interested in the organization of a chapter of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, are invited to a meeting to be held in the town hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 16, at 6:30.

Seriously Ill

William Pieper is critically ill at the Dixon hospital.

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WALNUT

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Past Matrons' Club

The Past Matrons' club met at the home of Miss Laura Hoffman on Friday, with Winifred Knight as assistant hostess. A most delicious chicken dinner was enjoyed by 14 members and two guests. The guests were Mrs. Mary and Amanda Hoffman.

A short business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Ollie Atherton. Roll call was answered with "An Outstanding Bible Character," Mrs. Meta Wolf became a new member. Election of officers was held and the new officers are: President, Jennie Kruse. Vice president, Rachel Johnson. Secretary and treasurer, Alta Melton.

The program for the coming year was made out. Those on the program committee were Mrs. Jennie Wahl, Mrs. Martha Walrath, and Mrs. Laura Hoffman. The meeting closed with a poem, "This Is Your Year," dedicated to the new president.

A social hour of Chinese checkers and contact was enjoyed.

Walnut Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Odell were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kares and family of Manlius.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Forrester and son of Malden were Friday guests of Mrs. Charles Watkins and daughters. Mrs. Watkins and daughter Gertrude are on the sick list and Mrs. Dietz of Harmon is caring for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Langford, Myrtle Fordham, and Miss Lizzie

RED RYDER

LEAVING LITTLE BEAVER

WITH JOE THE SCHOOL TEACHER, OF RED GALLOPS TOWARD THE Y BAR HORSE

IN SEARCH OF A JOB.

ME MESSUM RED RYDER MORE THAN YOU, MISSY TEACHER!

NEVER MIND, LITTLE BEAVER, WHETHER I MISS RED OR NOT! LET'S STUDY YOUR LESSONS!

ME KNOW EVERYTHING NOW! READ MY RHYTHMIC--BAH!

WELL, THUNDER, THY BAR IS JUST AHEAD!

HOWDY, BOSS! MY NAME'S RYDER, AND IF YOU'RE LOOKIN' FOR A GOOD PRONG STOMPER--I'M IT!

COWBOYS DON'T STAY LONG ON THIS SADDLE, BUT BE OFF MORE SADDLE--I'LL GIVE YA A TRY!

McDonald attended the funeral of his cousin, Melvin Kessler, at Kewanee, on Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Cater of Princeton are week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerchner.

Birthday Supper
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Young entertained eight classmates in honor of their son Kenneth's 20th birthday. After supper games were enjoyed for a while and then the boys all went to the picture show. Those attending the party were Donald Stankey, Marion Peach, Marvin Guither, Wayne Young, Clifford Heaton, John Bacorn, Jay Langford.

MENDOTA

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Past Presidents' Farley

The past presidents of the American Legion sponsored a public card party at the American Legion hall, Friday night. The money received from the card party will be used as follows: part of the proceeds to the war nurses in Hines Hospital and part for the local Auxiliary.

Attend Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Guilfoyle and son Philip attended the wedding of Mrs. Guilfoyle's brother, James Sheridan and Miss Fern Mahen of Lee, who were married at St. James church on Saturday.

Highway Accident

Eugene and Vera Mae Pohl of Compton were enroute to Mendota high school on Route 51, Thursday, when their car was sideswiped by a Minonk bread truck. Both car and truck were badly damaged. The occupants escaped with minor injuries.

Rebekah Officers

The appointed officers of the Rebekah lodge are Mrs. Ruth Love, Mrs. Ida Riegel, Mrs. Alma Sigbroth, Mrs. Helen Shirey, Mrs. Fred Mueller, Miss Marion Sauer, Mrs. Esther Henkel, Mrs. Mildred Wilhelm, Mrs. Frances Rhoades and Mrs. Gladys Sauer.

CCC Enrollments

The following Mendota boys were enrolled in the CCC and sent to Camp McCoy, Wis.: Harry Mahar, John Reeder, Burton Gladfelter, Nelson Jay Crane, Charles Boisdorf, William L. Druen, John Densau, Harold Leifheit, Joseph McDonald, Charles Nance and Robert Kaufman.

Leaves for Philadelphia

Mrs. Louise M. Miles will leave Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ellis Pinner, in Philadelphia.

Dixon Silver Fox Farm Pelts Bring Fine Awards

The Countryman Silver Fox Farms, Inc., was awarded two silver cups and two ribbons at the annual pelt show of the Illinois Fox & Fur Breeder's Association held Saturday evening at the Baker hotel in St. Charles. About 75 fox pelts and several hundred mink pelts were shown.

The Dixon firm won first in the full silver class, second and third in the seven-eights silver class, and first in the three-quarters silver class. A style show followed the dinner in the evening.

Franklin E. Bump, editor of the American National Fur Journal, Wausau, Wis., and Dwight Green, Republican nominee for governor, addressed the group. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Countryman attended from Dixon.

Pelts from the Countryman Farm, together with the cups and ribbons they won at the show, are on display at Kathryn Beard's.

International Harvester Announces Workers' Aid

Chicago, Jan. 15—AP—Sydney G. McAllister, president of International Harvester company, announced today the company soon would adopt a plan, made possible by profit-sharing and savings features, to assist employees further during unemployment and old age.

In a letter to employees, McAllister said the plan would begin with and apply to the company's 1940 fiscal year, which started Nov. 1, 1939. Details of the plan, he said, will be completed and made public before March 31.

The plan will cover nearly 60,000 employees of the company both in the United States and Canada.

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There is a sentence that can be recited but can't be written correctly in the English language. Borrowing a numerical symbol here's the sentence: "There are three 2's in the English language." Two, to, and too. . .

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President to Send Note to Congress on Aid to Finland

Washington, Jan. 15—(AP)—President Roosevelt informed congressional leaders today he would send a "communication" to Congress shortly on extending aid to Finland.

Senate Majority Leader Barkley told reporters, after an hour and a half conference with the President, that "we discussed the whole situation with reference to Finland, and the President will send a communication to the two Houses in the very near future."

The communication, he said, will "speak for itself."

The United States' own defense needs continued to occupy the House naval committee. Admiral Harold R. Stark testified before it that the navy needed submarines larger than those of some foreign powers because undersea operations might be required in the south Atlantic.

Edward J. Noble, undersecretary of Commerce, testified that the administration's reciprocal trade program had a dollars-and-cents value and, also, had opened up new avenues for the exchange of goods and services upon which world peace and prosperity depended.

Noble was the third administration witness to appear in behalf of the program before the House ways and means committee. It is considering legislation to extend the program three years beyond the June 12 expiration date.

The Senate judiciary committee appointed a sub-committee to hold hearings on the perennial anti-lynching bill which the House has passed.

The sub-committee will meet Friday. On it are Chairman Van Nuys (D-Ind.), and Senators McCarran (D-Nev.), Connally (D-Tex.), Neely (D-W.Va.), Wiley (R-Conn.) and Austin (R-Vt.).

Representative Martin of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, predicted that the House, if "permitted" to act, would approve the congressional budget study proposed by Senator Harrison (D-Miss.).

Highway Crews—

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pelled to abandon their work when the wind swept the fine snow into the openings behind the plows. County Superintendent of Highways Fred Leake stated today that the county highway force was opening roads as rapidly as the plows could be moved and expected that the entire system would be open to traffic by late afternoon.

STATE REPORT

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15—(AP)—The highway division reported at noon today that snow-drifts still blocked some highways in northwestern Illinois in spite of concerted snow-removal operations.

State engineers, however, predicted that blockades around Rock Island, Quincy, Galena, Dixon and Rockford would be cleared by nightfall. Highways in north central and northeastern Illinois were reported open but slippery. Yesterday's snowfall extended over the north half of the state, reaching 12 inch depth in places. High winds caused it to drift.

STORM IN ALABAMA

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 15—(AP)—Freakish mid-winter wind and rain storms left six dead, a dozen or more seriously injured and extensive property and road damage today in southern Alabama.

Those killed and most of the injured were negroes. Three, identified as Dan Toliver, his wife, and Andrew Hendrix, lost their lives in a twister at Mt. Meigs community near Montgomery. Mrs. George E. Dotzler, 58, was seriously injured.

A dip-and-rise storm that cut an eight-mile path in Monroe county, 80 miles southwest of here, killed three unidentified negroes.

DECEMBER ARID MONTH

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15—(AP)—The last four months of 1939 was the driest autumnal quarter in 50 years in Illinois. C. L. Ray, weather bureau meteorologist reported today.

Precipitation during the period was 49 per cent of normal. December was the third driest in the 50-year period and the most arid since 1930.

About 38,000,000 people—80 per cent of them Ukrainian stock—now inhabit the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic.

PERSONALS

Robert Preston went to Freeport Saturday morning on business.

Miss Helen Young is reported seriously ill.

Mrs. Thomas H. McCoy and daughter, Mrs. Catherine O'Donnell were guests at the Hotel Dixon, having come to Dixon from Oak Park to attend the funeral of Miss Mary Erwin who passed away Monday. Mrs. McCoy and Miss Erwin were close friends from early childhood, both having been born and raised in Dixon.

6,000 CIO Miners May Quit Work in Shafts Tomorrow

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15—(AP)—A strike tomorrow by approximately 6,000 Illinois CIO coal miners in protest of alleged "on-shift shooting" or breaking up of coal seams while regular crews of miners were at work in the pits became a probability today.

Ray Edmundson, state president of the United Mine Workers of America, who set tomorrow morning as the time when miner employees of three central and southern Illinois operators should "cease work," said today he had received no notice of the union's demands would be met.

Fred S. Wilkie, secretary of the Illinois Coal Operators Association with whom the affected companies are allied, said he was surprised that "on-shift shooting" was the issue of a threatened strike.

"The operators are at all times looking out for the safety of their men, and they feel that on-shift shooting of coal does not endanger the miners and does not violate the state mining laws," Wilkie said.

"To Protect Lives"

In ordering discontinuance of work at the mines where the UMW charged the practice was carried on, Edmundson said the action was taken "to protect men's lives."

Meanwhile, the Saline county organization of AFL-affiliated Progressive Mine Workers of America announced it would meet Thursday night at Harrisburg to consider protesting use of on-shift shooting by companies in that area.

John P. Ritchie, vice president of the PMWA state organization, and John McCann, Gillespie, a board member, said in a statement the practice was "a violation of the law, in our opinion, and we intend to have it stopped."

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Joshua Seidel, 94, Former Lee County Farmer, is Called

Joshua Seidel, 94, who for a number of years operated a farm south of Prairieville, passed away at his home, 311 Broadway, Sterling, at 10:15 o'clock Sunday morning, his death resulting from bronchial asthma. He had apparently been in his usual health Saturday evening, death coming unexpectedly. Funeral services will be held at the Trough funeral home in Sterling at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the Rev. A. E. Keck pastor of St. John's Lutheran church in Sterling, officiating. Committal will be in the Riverside cemetery memorial mausoleum.

Mr. Seidel, the last of 14 children, was born in Germany, Oct. 22, 1845, coming to the United States at the age of 8. He first lived in Columbus, O. going from there to Sterling in 1860. Feb. 2, 1870 he was married at Erie, Ill., to Louisa Lederer, who, at the age of 92, survives him. Prior to purchasing a farm south of Prairieville, from which he retired in 1905, he farmed in Hopkins township, Whiteside county for five years, and in Kansas for 19 years.

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MATCH GAMES

In matched games yesterday at the Dixon Recreation the Sterling team defeated the Dixon Hi-Way Grill team 27-8 to 24-8. The Sterling ladies were defeated by the Dixon ladies (Hi-Way Grill team) 26-6 to 21-7.

Watt called the inventor of the steam-engine, did not invent it any more than Gutenberg, called the inventor of typography, invented type.

Founded in 1726, and one of the youngest cities on the South American continent, Montevideo has a population of over 600,000.

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TVA Seeks Power to Make District Great Playground

Washington, Jan. 15—(AP)—President Roosevelt submitted to congress today a proposal by the Tennessee Valley Authority to convert the area encompassed by the TVA development in six southern states into a giant national playground.

"Many of our citizens and even government officials hold a belief," the president said in a special message to congress transmitting the report, "that the purpose of the act creating the (Tennessee Valley) Authority was primarily the development of electric power."

"It is perhaps time to call attention to this other fallacy." Additional objectives, Roosevelt said, were to control flood damage—estimated at \$20,000,000 annually—and to make the river navigable. In its broader sense the TVA was formed, he continued, "to raise the standards of life by increasing social and economic advantages in a given area."

Power, development, the president declared, was only a part—"and ultimately only a small part"—of the social and economic effort in the Tennessee watershed.

Recreational Possibilities

With his message, he transmitted a study prepared by TVA on recreational possibilities in the area. The report, signed by Harcourt A. Morgan, chairman, called attention to the fact that TVA's lakes had supplied the region with "the one element which nature omitted from an otherwise lavish recreational endowment."

Morgan said in a letter to the president that the TVA act of 1933 authorized a study of the region from a recreational viewpoint but that the TVA board still lacked power to carry out its own recommendation. He suggested that congress grant TVA this additional power.

"Such powers," the report said, "should include authority to construct and to operate recreation facilities on property acquired in connection with the primary purposes of the water-control program; to utilize the work relief resources of such agencies as the NYA, WPA and CCC in carrying out the fundamental program; and, at least during a trial period in which management problems and public demand can be more fully explored, to operate recreation facilities developed under the program, either directly or through a system of carefully supervised concessions."

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True Blue Class—The True Blue class of the Methodist church will meet at the E. M. Greene home, 514 First street, Tuesday evening for a scramble supper at 6:30 o'clock. Meat and potatoes will be furnished by the committee.

Church Calendar—The following weekly calendar has been announced for members of the First Christian church: Tuesday—Church School workers' conference at the Carl Kling home, 8 p. m.; Wednesday—Brotherhood dinner at 6:30 p. m.; broadcast by H. F. McCormick, president of the International convention; Thursday—Progressive class birthday supper, 6:30 p. m. at the church; Friday—Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.

Truth Seekers—Mrs. Emma Pittman was hostess to the Truth Seekers class of Grace Evangelical church Friday evening. Mrs. Gladys Hoffman and Mrs. Mabel Wilson entertained with Mrs. Pittman.

Doris and Clara Hoffman entertained with accordion selections. Refreshments were served by the committee.

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New members welcomed at Saturday's meeting included Miss Helen Hiland, Mrs. W. E. Beaton, Mrs. Henry Cottlow of Oregon, Mrs. H. Y. Pollock were visitors. Mrs. Moss presided at the tea table.

The next meeting will be the chapter's annual Guest Day luncheon, Feb. 17.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

JANUARY 16
Henry Schmidt; Aden Loscher, 7; Robert Hicks; Harmon; Tony Sanders; Nelson; Esther Aloffson, Paw Paw; Donald Jones, Steward.

Jan. 14—Earl Siegle, Jr.

SOCIETY

D.A.R. Study Development of Culinary Crafts

"Evolution of Culinary Crafts," a paper given by Mrs. A. F. Moore, held the very natural feminine interest of members of Dixon chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at their January meeting Saturday afternoon. Mrs. S. C. Stanfield, Mrs. Willard Thompson, and Mrs. S. D. Crowell of Oregon entertained at the Stanfield home.

Mrs. S. W. Moss introduced the speaker, who gave a fascinating and humorous review of changes which have taken place in the kitchen, its furnishings, concoctions and etiquette since Colonial days.

Word Picture

"The kitchen in the

Widow, 21, on Trial for Slaying



Mrs. Lucille Marie Swails, 21, mother of a 6-year-old boy, goes on trial in Belleville, Ill., circuit court on charges of fatally shooting her husband, Herman, 30, while he slept last Nov. 25. Mrs. Swails is shown with her father, Jacob Wittauer.

First British Casualty on Western Front



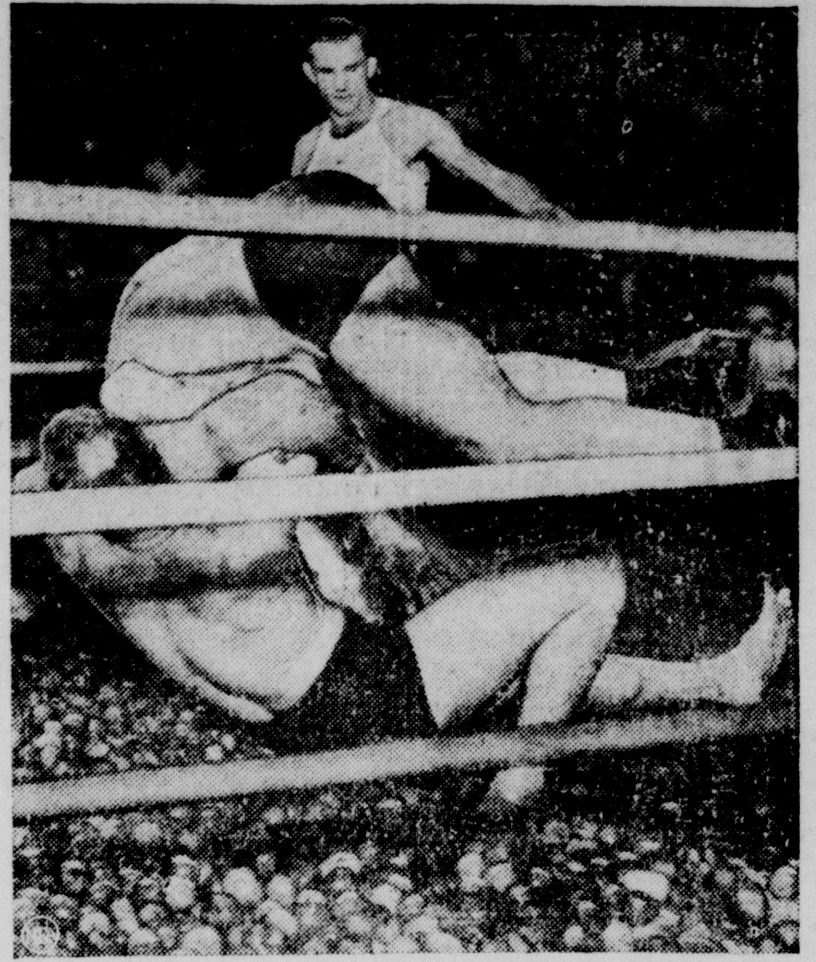
No. 1 Tommy is Miles Lowe—first British soldier, according to British censors, wounded in action on the Western Front. Above, in a hospital "somewhere in England" a nurse dresses his wound.

Masks and Mistletoe



The traditionally romantic mistletoe is of little help to this gas-masked English couple.

Could Find a Better Use for 'Em



A ton of ripe, juicy tomatoes form mat for these wrestlers who outlasted four others in battle royal as silly season opened early at Lake Worth, Fla.

First Lady Visits Polio Patients



Child victims of infantile paralysis inspire expression of genuine sorrow from Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who talks with Dolores Francis and Eugene Corrado, both 8, in visit to Washington hospital.

Baptismal Bath Behind Bars



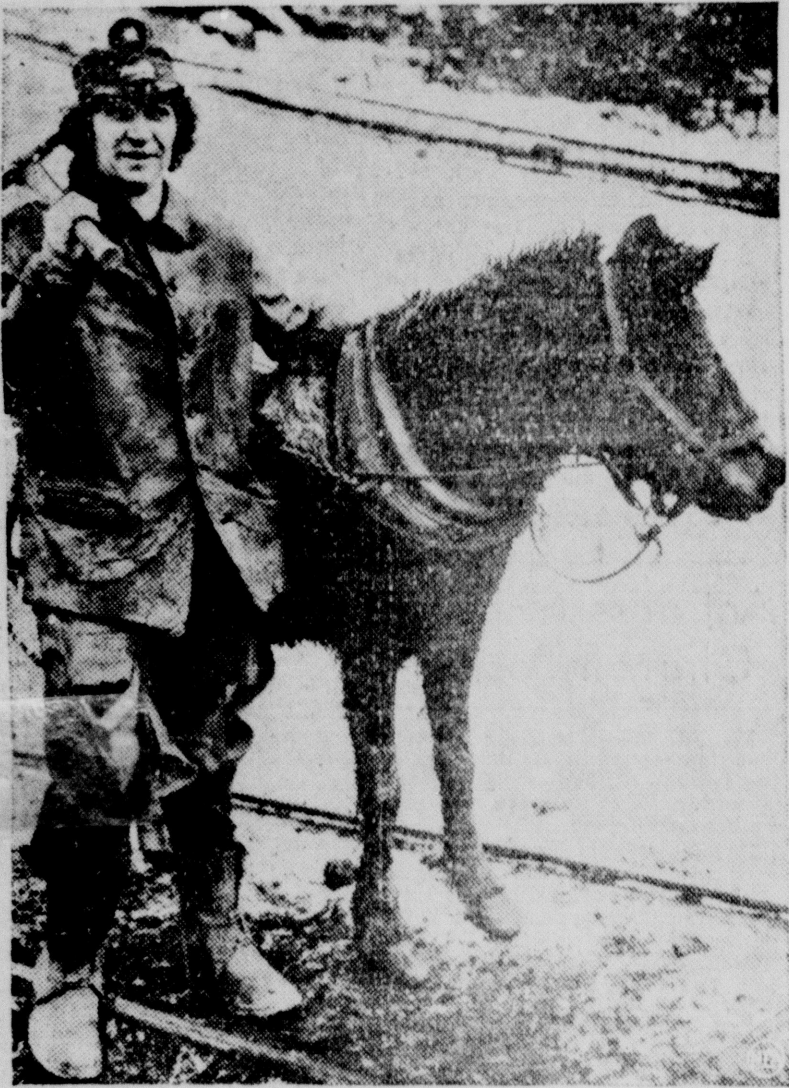
Parson W. L. Humphrey was unable to baptize six members of his flock in Enid, Okla., mainly because the six were in the town lock-up. So the parson did the next best thing and took the baptismal waters in a stock tank to the members in the jail bull pen.

Tracy Does a Hurdle



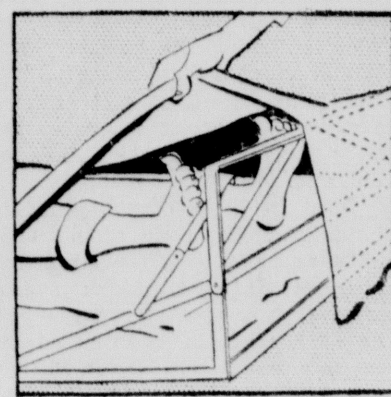
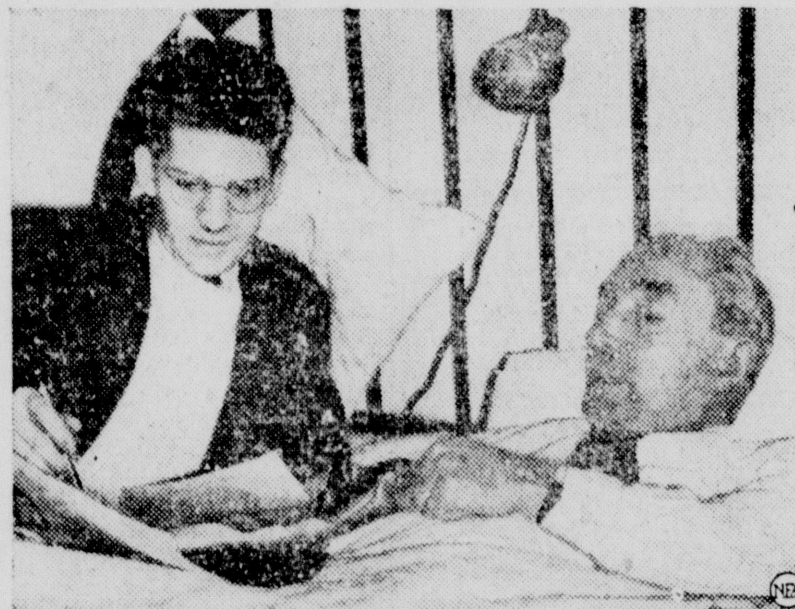
The agility of Spencer Tracy in negotiating this rail fence in "Northwest Passage" is not symbolic of the manner in which the studio handled the film. It took nearly three years, bushels of cash and constant headaches to get the picture ready for release.

Widow of Mahoning Runs Coal Mine



Widow Linnie Davis, above, makes her debut as a full-fledged coal mine owner and superintendent. A court ruling upheld her rights, and those of her late husband's partners, to a Mahoning Valley mine they had opened up. A company which had taken over the property and Mrs. Davis put in charge.

Pup Tent Is Boon to Cold Feet in Bed



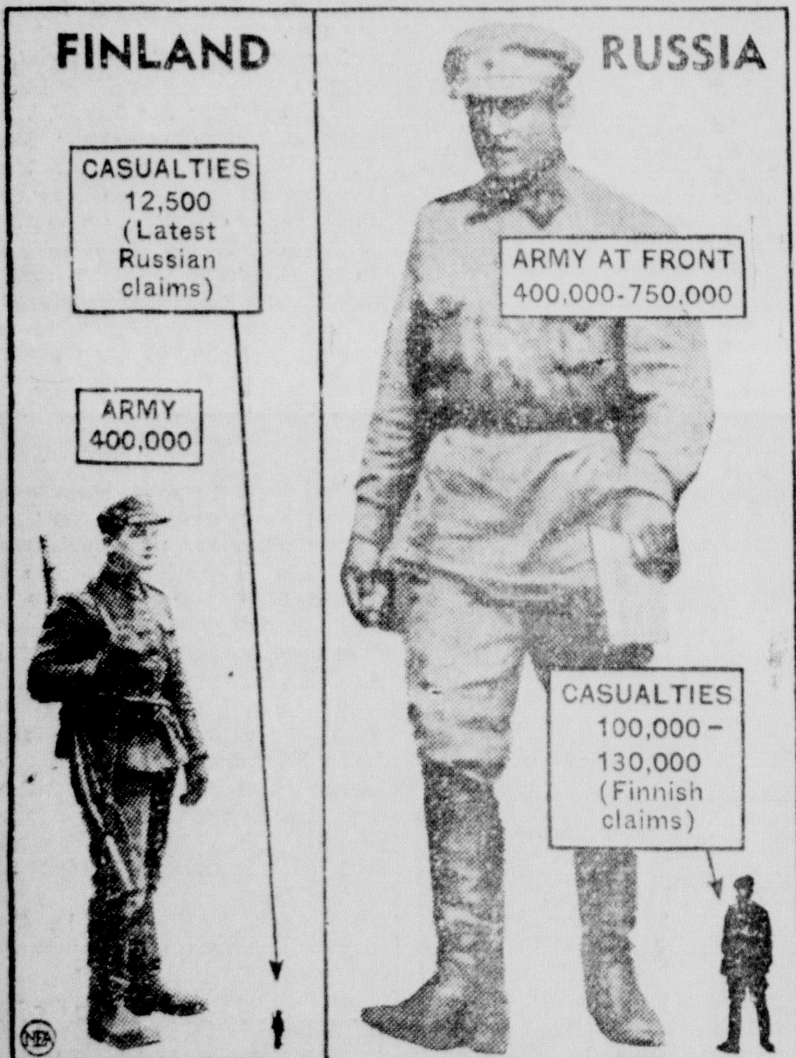
If your feet get cold in bed when the covers come out at the bottom, F. J. Arnold, Boise, Ida., inventor, is the man to see. He took to his bed, above, to tell reporter his story. Pressure of covers on his feet irritated Mr. Arnold, but when he kicked blankets off, his wife began kicking because her feet became cold. He invented cover-holder-upper, right, to give his "dogs" breathing room. Bedding goes over top of rack to form tent-like compartment with plenty of wriggle room for tired puppies.

Tanks for the Memory---of Russians



When freezing Red troops fled or died on the cold snows of northern Finland, they left behind much equipment. Light tank, above, is one of pieces of useless war material taken out of action by Finnish forces since war began.

Finns Claim 130,000 Red Casualties



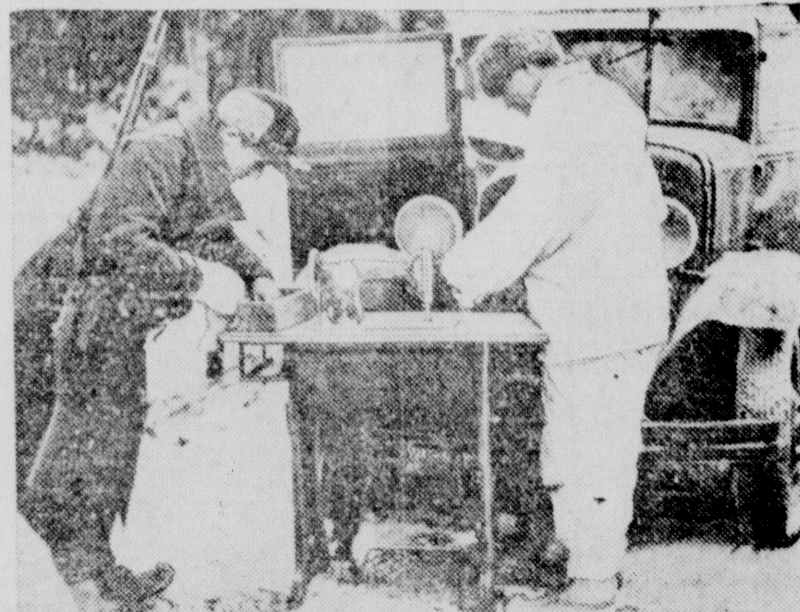
Finnish claims of Russian casualties—dead, wounded and captured—now total 130,000, or between 17 and 30 per cent of the Soviet forces now believed fighting on the frontier of Finland. Pictograph, based on Finnish and Russian claims, shows relation between casualties and armies on each side.

Red Army Musicians Lose Their Horns



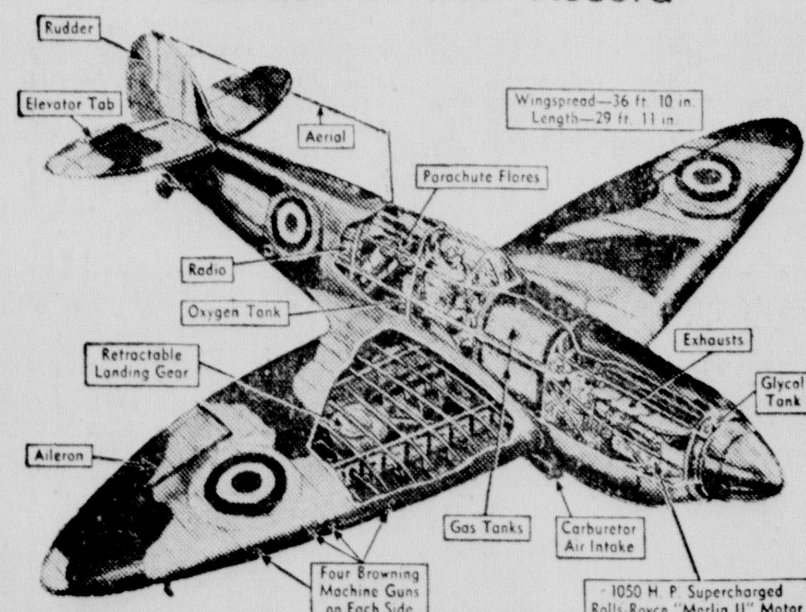
Among miscellaneous items in this heap of Finnish booty were band instruments and saddles, captured from defeated Soviet troops on the northern front where the weather is too cold for horn playing and the snow is too deep for horses.

Capture Puts Finns in Stitches

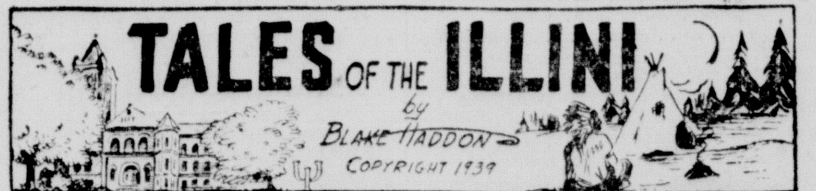


If buttons fall off those Russian greatcoats now, it's just too bad. For Finns have captured the Red army's sewing machine, seized in a truckload of useless war material when supply column was ambushed.

Accidental Air Record



A British single-seat "Spitfire" plane, like that diagrammed above, set a new, but accidental, speed record said Air Ministry officials, when it dived from a height of 23,000 feet at an estimated speed of 850 to 700 miles an hour. The pilot, unconscious during part of the descent, came in time to pull the plane out of the dive and land safely.



FANFARE



HIGH SCORER

Don Whitmore of Mendota, who counted 21 points in the Mendota-Princeton game Friday night, stands as high scorer for any single North Central conference game thus far.

BELVIDERE LOSES

The Belvidere warriors dropped their second week-end game Saturday night at Rockford, 41 to 26, in a game climaxed by the injury of Captain Speck of the Rabs who suffered a possible brain concussion on a foul which banished Lear of the Belvidere team from the game. The invading lightweights defeated the Rabbits, 36 to 17.

DE KALB SAYS

The DeKalb scribbles in recording the Dixon victory of Friday night had this to say of the game: "If DeKalb, during the first half, had succeeded in making Dixon a bit flustered by its ball control type of game, all the effect was erased by these three light fast baskets. (Those of Artell Buggs to start the second half.) In some respects the game was not as bad as the one-sided score indicates. For instance DeKalb planned to play a ball controlling type of game during the first half, and to a certain extent was successful in this endeavor. Dixon was tossing at every opportunity yet only had a lead of 15 to 7 as the half time period rolled around. . . from all appearances last night Dixon was the better team and deserved the victory." And with all of this we agree.

WHAT FORMER RIVALS DID

Freeport, in a Big Seven conference game Saturday night, defeated Elgin 20 to 20 in the heavyweight game and 35 to 29 in the preliminary.

LIGHTWEIGHT STANDINGS

In the standings of the lightweight teams in the North Central conference Belvidere has a percentage of 1.000 with four victories. Dixon is second with three wins and one loss and others in order of their ratings are DeKalb, Sterling, Princeton and Mendota.

BOWLING FEATURE

John Crimmins of Detroit, Mich., will give an exhibition of first class legging at the formal opening of the Dixon Recreation center Saturday night. During an international tournament at Berlin, Germany Crimmins averaged 207 for 16 games and holds many outstanding records all over the nation.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

If you haven't circled the date for Elmer Layden's visit here, you'd better put a mark around January 23. Layden, who will speak here at the St. Mary's hall under the auspices of the Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's church, entered Notre Dame at the age of 18 in the fall of 1921, playing quarterback in his sophomore year, alternating with Harry Stuhldreher, and filling in at left halfback for awhile until Paul Caster recovered from injuries. The Four Horsemen (Harry Stuhldreher, quarterback, Jimmy Crowley, left half; Don Miller, right half; and Elmer Layden, fullback) played together as a unit for the first time in administering a 19 to 0 defeat to Carnegie Tech in 1922. Everyone knows that Layden is now head coach at the university. During his Dixon visit he will discuss the past season and show motion pictures of the game.

GAME TONIGHT

The Armory team is scheduled to play the Borden's quintet tonight at the armory.

VOLLEY BALL IN DIXON

Harry Moore, who with Ben Schildberg, is working to promote a volleyball team of local business men, reports that the organization plans are developing very well. The group will meet for its final plans and a practice session at the high school gymnasium tomorrow night at 5:30.

JINGLE BELLS, JINGLE BELLS

A rare sight of an almost forgotten sport was seen Sunday amid the snow drifts in Michael Coffey hitched old Dobbin to the sleigh and cut through banks of snow in and about the city.

YOO-HOO, SKINNY! GET YOUR SLED

While we're on the subject of snow—and you can't deny it's here—the city dads might be doing the kids who got new sleds for Christmas a great favor if they would provide more coasting locations on the city streets. Several places where they are coasting now are not blocked off to traffic and are dangerous. At the present time there are three locations where the kids can "get going": Hennepin avenue from Third to Fifth street on the south side and on the north side the blocks east and west of Everett street and Brinton avenue from Fellows to the river. The youngsters are cautioned to use only these locations.

Gophers Are Latest Menace to the Pace-Setting Cagers in the Big 10

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Minnesota; dampe 12346 6 66 nesota's unheralded Gophers are the latest "menace" to the pace setting teams in the Big Ten basketball race.

The unseasoned but fast Minnesota five dumped the hitherto undefeated Indiana team from a front-running position Saturday and tonight faces the brilliant Purdue outfit. If the Gophers can hand the Boilermakers their first conference loss, then they must be reckoned a serious contender for the title.

The margin of Indiana's loss two points, 46 to 44. Purdue won its third league engagement over the week-end, a 49 to 36 victory over Wisconsin. The Lafayette machine now has averaged 46 points a game while holding the opposition to less than 33 points, the best mark in the circuit in each department.

Michigan kept pace with Purdue atop the conference with a 47 to 38 decision over a week Iowa team and Northwestern had no trouble disposing of Chicago, 44 to 28. Ohio State, defending champion which lost its first two

ONLY TWO IN U. S. ARE ASSURED WINNERS IN IRISH SWEEPSTAKES

Dublin, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Only two tickets held in the United States were assured winners today in the Irish sweepstakes on the Irish Red Cross steeplechase next Saturday.

Held by Miss Sibian Carey, of "2025 Sacramento street, California," and Mrs. Mary Kenny, 535 11th street, Havre, Montana, they became potential winners from \$217 (\$857) to \$9,000 (about \$35,000).

Miss Cleary's ticket was on Goldsleugh and Mrs. Kenny's on Clare county. Others drawing horses were all Europeans. None of the 50 residual prizes went to the United States.

NO MORE RUMORS; KERN IS SIGNED TO WEST VIRGINIA

Morgantown, W. Va., Jan. 15.—(AP)—No more rumors, Bill Kern has taken the job—as football coach at West Virginia university. Kern, who quit at Carnegie Tech a week ago today, was engaged by the Mountaineers late Saturday to succeed Dr. Marshall (Sleepy) Glenn, who resigned to become a physician.

The new coach's salary is reported at \$7,000 annually for three years.

OLDEST CAGE LOOP

New York—The Eastern League organized in 1902, is the oldest college basketball circuit in the country. It is made up of Harvard, Princeton, Yale, Cornell, Pennsylvania and Dartmouth.

Landis Lashes Out at Baseball

Rochelle, Polo, Amboy Are Cage Victims

OREGON BOUNCES HUBS FROM SOLE LEAD IN LEAGUE

Rochelle Now Shares the Top Spot With Mount Morris Cagers

ROCK RIVER CONFERENCE (Heavyweight Standings)

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Mt. Morris	4	1	.800
Rochelle	4	1	.800
Oregon	2	2	.500
Rock Falls	1	2	.333
Morrison	1	2	.333
Polo	1	3	.250
Amboy	1	3	.250

(Lightweight Standings)

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Rock Falls	3	0	1.000
Oregon	3	1	.750
Morrison	2	1	.667
Mt. Morris	3	2	.600
Rochelle	2	3	.400
Amboy	1	3	.250
Polo	0	4	.000

Rochelle took a jolt at the hands of Oregon Saturday night when the Hubs were handed their first conference defeat by the hosts, 28 to 27, in the with Mt. Morris in the heavyweight standings.

In the lightweight encounter the Hawks made the evening complete by trimming the invading Rochelle Ponies, 27 to 26, and making each victory a one-point decision.

In the thrilling heavyweight encounter the Hawks led 9 to 8 at the end of the first quarter as a forecast to the final count. By half time Rochelle was trailing 14 to 11. In the third period the invaders snapped into the lead by scoring 11 points to Oregon's four and had the advantage, 22 to 18. In the final canto the home team stepped up its pace to chalk up 10 points and hold the visitors to five for the margin of victory.

May, Rochelle forward, was the evening's high scorer with eight points on four field goals. Franklin and Young shared honors with seven points each for the winning Hawks.

On Friday night Oregon will play at Rock Falls and Rochelle will entertain Polo. Both are conference games.

Box score:

Oregon (28)	Fg	Ft	Pts
Franklin, f	3	1	7
Gecan, f	1	0	2
Pelmsa, f	2	2	6
Young, c	3	1	7
Ferguson, g	1	0	2
Pryor, g	2	0	4
Thomas, g	0	0	0
Totals	12	4	28

Rochelle (27)

Rochelle (27)	Fg	Ft	Pts
Lace, f	3	0	6
May, f	4	0	8
Haas, f	1	1	3
Schoonhoven, f	0	0	0
Tigan, c	2	0	4
Friday, g	2	0	4
Degryse, g	0	2	2
Totals	12	3	27

Score by Quarters

Oregon	9	5	14	28
Rochelle	8	3	11	27

Dope Bucket

Here's a try at depicting tonight's games (with the won-loss records in parentheses):

Minnesota (2-1) at Purdue (3-0): The choice goes to the Boilermakers, a seasoned and balanced crew of sharpshooters and defensive aces. Purdue should win by eight points or more.

Illinois (1-2) at Michigan (3-0): Can't see anybody but the Wolverines, especially on their home floor. The Illini has possibilities but have been considerably below their best form. Six points should be the margin.

Indiana (2-1) at Wisconsin (1-2): The Hoosiers take this one going away, by 10 points, bouncing back to top form after the disappointing outcome of the Minnesota test.

Northwestern (2-1) at Ohio State (1-2): Northwestern gets the nod but by no more than three points.

Iowa (0-3) at Chicago (0-3): Iowa team and Northwestern had no trouble disposing of Chicago, 44 to 28. Ohio State, defending champion which lost its first two

PACKERS WIN IN "PRO-BOWL" GAME WITH ALL-STARS

Los Angeles, Jan. 15.—(AP)—It will take something more than a collection of the best players from rival clubs of the National League to upset Green Bay's champion Packers.

The giants from Wisconsin, combining three field goals with one dazzling aerial display that skyrocketed 101 yards for a touchdown, turned back the threat of the National League all-stars, 16-7, in the second annual post-season "pro-bowl" battle yesterday.

Eighteen thousand grid fans turned out in ideal weather to see the reigning team of the major circuit roll up a heavy margin in yards and a convincing advantage on the scoreboard.

Late in the second period the Packers, backed into the shadow of their own goalposts, turned an all-star threat into a play that left the crowd gasping. It was a pass unhooked by Cecil Isbell which dropped into the arms of Don Hutson Green Bay end, 61 yards away, and was followed by a touchdown when the fleet ex-Alabama wingman raced on to the goal, 40 yards away.

The large right foot of Ernie Smith, Green Bay's tackle, rang up to field goals. Clarke Hinkle, Packer fullback star, added another to complete the scoring for the Wisconsin aggregation.

Little Davey O'Brien of the all-stars engineered the touchdown for his mates. His 28-yard runback of a punt put the stars deep in Packer territory, and aided by the line-ramming of Johnny Drake, the stars moved into scoring position. From the five-yard line, on third down, the ex-Texas Christian university All-American flipped a pass to his end, Joe Carter, for the tally. Ward Cuff converted.

When mined, both iron and aluminum are combined with other metals and oxygen.

Polo is Victim of Leaf River Cagers, 35-30

After winning their second game of the season Friday night, the Polo Marcos went to Leaf River Saturday night but failed to duplicate their success as they bowed to the Leafers, 35 to 30, in a non-conference game. The lightweight hosts also won the preliminary, 20 to 12.

Except for a disastrous second quarter, the Polo team kept the pace with the Leafers. In the first period Polo trailed by only one point, but the hosts rang up a total of 13 points to the Marcos' six in the fatal second period.

In the third frame Polo counted four points to the Leafers' six. A rally was staged in the final canto when the invaders scored 12 points to Leaf River's seven.

Scoring honors for the contest went to Smith of the losing Polo team who marked up 14 points on field goals and four charity shots. Strode and Hedrick each scored nine points for the Leafers.

Box score:

Leaf River (35)	Fg	Ft	Pts
Mathoit, f	2	0	4
Bob Zellers, f	1	1	3
Strode, f	3	3	9
Light, c	3	2	8
Hedrick, g	4	1	9
R. Zellers, g	1	0	2
Totals	14	7	35

Polo (30)

Polo (30)	Fg	Ft	Pts
Waters, f	2	0	4
Beck, f	2	0	4
Krull, f	0	0	0
Dew, f	1	3	5
Smith, c	5	4	14
Dusing, g	0	1	2
Hoover, g	1	0	2
Totals	11	8	30

Score by Quarters

Leaf River	13	6	7	35
Polo	8	6	4	30

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Amazing Feats Mark Oakland Golf Tourney

Oakland, Calif., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Texas Jimmy Demaret has 190 and the Oakland Open title but the golfer almost everyone is talking about not only tried to climb a tree but missed a four-inch putt.

Without taking a speck of credit from Demaret, who finished in par-70 for the Sequoia course, the final round of the 72-hole medal play open was written mainly around the amazing exploits of bulky Clayton Heafner of Linville, N. C.

For 53 holes Heafner had paced the field—two strokes ahead of his nearest rival, Demaret.

On the last nine things happened. Heafner and Demaret were playing in the threesome. On the 147th 12th, the man from North Carolina lofted his ball into a big tree. When it didn't drop, its boss started up after it.

The pellet plopped to the ground. Heafner whacked it over the green. He stuck a chip shot up to within a worm's length of the cup, then casually gave the ball a one-handed swipe. To his utter astonishment it missed the hole. The five, against Demaret's par 3, but the pair on even terms—sharing the lead with six holes to go.

Heafner went to the front again as Demaret took a bogey four on the 14th but they reversed positions on the 16th. Heafner hit a ball into the lake for a final 7, whereas Demaret had a par 5.

They halted the last two holes, which left Demaret holding a check for \$1,200 and Heafner one for \$583.33 as the result of a three-way tie for second place, with Horton Smith of Oak Park, Ill., and Ben Hogan of White Plains, N. Y., Demaret totaled 281.

On the third round Heafner scored a hole-in-one on the 191-yard second. He led the Los Angeles open after three rounds last week, but took second place to Lawson Little.

FOR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Sarasota, Fla., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Jock Hutchison of Chicago, once holder of the U. S. and British open crowns, and Otto Hackbarth, veteran Cincinnati golfer, professional met in an 18-hole play-off today for the National P. G. A. seniors' golf championship.

Hackbarth shot par-70 over the wind-swept Bobby Jones course yesterday to add to a 76 and tie Hutchison at 146.

MARTINEAU'S CHOICES

Ann Arbor—Earl Martineau, Michigan backfield coach calls the Purdue team of 1929 and the 1935 Princeton team, the best all-around football teams he has seen in 15 years of coaching.

SOMERVILLE SERVES

London—Ross (Sandy) Somerville, who won the United States amateur golf championship in 1932, is with the Canadian army overseas.

Down The ALLEYS

WEEK'S SCHEDULE Monday—Ladies' League

7 p. m.—Soda Grill vs Hi-Way Grill Dixon Recreation vs Dr. Bends Carson's Service vs Amboy Ideal Cafe vs Bon Ton

Tuesday—City League

7 p. m.—Beier's Salesman vs Amboy Strub & Schultz vs Rheingold Meyers vs Three Deuces K. of C. vs Fallstroms

Wednesday—Classic League

7 p. m.—Manhattan vs James Billiards Hi-Way Grill vs Blackhaws Beiers Bread vs Potters Boynton-Richards vs United Cigars

Thursday—Commercial League

7 p. m.—Rink vs Rubey's Hill Bros vs Sparky's Ted's vs Coss Round-Up vs In and Outers

Friday—Major League

7 p. m.—Crystal Barbers vs Chauffeurs Blatz vs Hanson's Stars Plum Hollow vs Dixon Paint Medusa vs Coca Cola

State Normal to Meet Western in Tilt Wednesday

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Basketball battling in the Illinois Intercollegiate conference will be highlighted this week by the Wednesday night clash between State Normal and the highly-ranked Western Illinois Teachers.

Normal leads the loop with two victories and no losses, and Western is close behind, winner of its only conference game.

Two other league tests are on tap—both on Saturday. Normal meets Northern Illinois Teachers at Bloomington and Eastern Teachers play Southern Teachers at Carbondale.

Normal, defending champion, won two games last week, whipping Eureka, 37 to 20, and Eastern Teachers, 45 to 43. Western Teachers defeated Carthage, 50 to 31. Northern lost two of three league games during the week, defeating Elmhurst, 57 to 20, and losing to Southern, 39 to 27, and Eastern, 34 to 31.

Outside the conference this week Eureka plays Lincoln Tuesday. Eastern meets Sparks and Elmhurst engages Wheaton Wednesday and Eureka faces McKendree Friday.

North Central Leads

North Central, leader of the Illinois College conference, has no league games scheduled this week while Bradley and Monmouth open their cage bids. Bradley faces Millikin Saturday night, same date of the loop tilt between Wheaton and Augustana.

Monmouth plays Knox and Wesleyan takes on Millikin Tuesday. North Central went to the head of the class last week by defeating Millikin, 49 to 40, for its second victory in as many games.

Knox and Wesleyan stayed close behind by winning their first league tests, Knox vanquishing Augustana, 38 to 35, and Wesleyan trimming Lake Forest, 37 to 32.

Illinois split two conference games, defeating Wheaton, 45 to 43, and then losing to Augustana, 29 to 24. Conference teams won three and lost three games against outsiders.

In addition to the four league games this week, five other games are coming up. Bradley plays New Mexico A. M. Monday, Augustana engages St. Ambrose Wednesday, Bradley plays Duquesne Wednesday, Knox opposes Carleton Friday and Monmouth and Cornell battle Saturday.

BASKETBALL STANDINGS

WESTERN CONFERENCE

W	L	Pct	Pts	Opp.
Purdue	3	0	1.000	138
Michigan	3	0	1.000	131
Indiana	2	1	.667	127
Northwestern	2	1	.667	119
Minnesota	2	1	.667	126
Illinois	1	2	.333	101
East. Teach	1	2	.333	95
Ohio State	1	2	.333	104
Iowa	0	3	.000	79

ILLINOIS INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE

W	L	Pct	Pts	Opp.
State Nor.	2	0	1.000	82
West. Teach	0	1	.000	50
South Teach	0	1	.000	39
Nor. Teach	2	2	.500	158
East. Teach	1	1	.500	77
Carthage	1	1	.500	75
Eureka	1	2	.333	103
Elmhurst	0	3	.000	68

ILLINOIS COLLEGE CONFERENCE

W	L	Pct	Pts	Opp.
North Cent.	2	0	1.000	90
Knox	1	0	1.000	38
Wesleyan	1	0	1.000	37
Ill. College	2	1	.667	109
Millikin	1	1	.500	75
Augustana	1	2	.333	97
Wheaton	0	1	.000	43
Lake Forest	0	2	.000	94

PLENTY TO GET AWAY

Columbus—A total of 365,000,000 fish were planted in Ohio rivers and streams by the Conservation Department in 1939.

Amboy Loses in Game With Mount Morris

The Mt. Morris cagers won their second conference game of the week-end Saturday night when they entertained and defeated the Amboy quintet, 37 to 22. The Mt. Morris reserves won the preliminary affair by a closer count of 29 to 25.

The defeat pushed the Amboy team into the darkness of the loop cellar in company with the Polo Marcos.

There was little doubt about the outcome of the game when the Mounters rolled up a total of 16 points in the first stanza and held the Amboy visitors scoreless. The Welty-men counted one more point than the hosts in the second quarter, but trailed 23 to 8 at the half.

Mt. Morris totaled 11 points for the third period to Amboy's six and the latter squad attempted a rally in the final quarter by out-scoring the Mounters, 8 to 3, but it was stopped far short of the mark.

Merriman, playing center for the winners, swished five field goals and two free throws for a total of 12 points to pace the players. Jones and Miller each scored six points for the Amboy team.

Box score:

Mt. Morris (37)	Fg	Ft	Pts
McNott, f	1	1	3
Shoemaker, f	2	1	5

WILY ANIMAL

HORIZONTAL

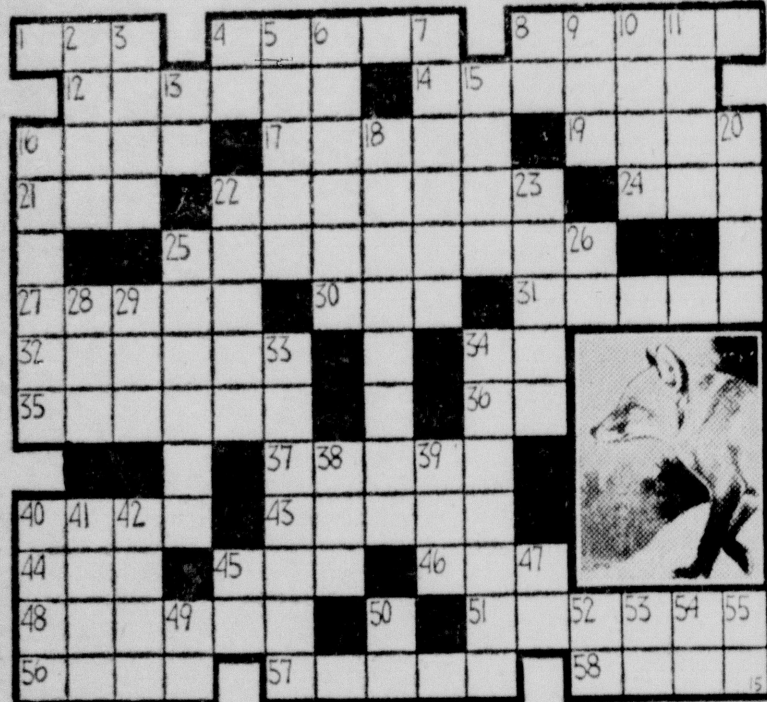
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21 Divinities.
24 Lair.
25 Given.
27 Cotton fabric.
30 To essay.
31 It has a — tail.
32 To seal up.
34 Measure.
35 Fish enemy of sharks.
36 Mystic syllable.
37 To swindle.
40 Race track circuits.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

18 Repeats.
20 Malicious grudging.
22 Doleful.
23 Fatty secretion.
25 Parts of a lobster's tail.
26 Dutch.
28 Unit.
29 Distinctive theory.
33 Yeast enzyme.
34 Power.
38 Derby.
39 Dined.
40 To bathe.
41 Astrigent.
42 Sanskrit dialect.
45 Myself.
47 Doctor.
49 Point.
50 Italian river.
52 Exclamation.
53 Note in scale.
54 Transpose.
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2 Auricular.
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4 Father.
5 Toilet case.
6 Player of the lyre.
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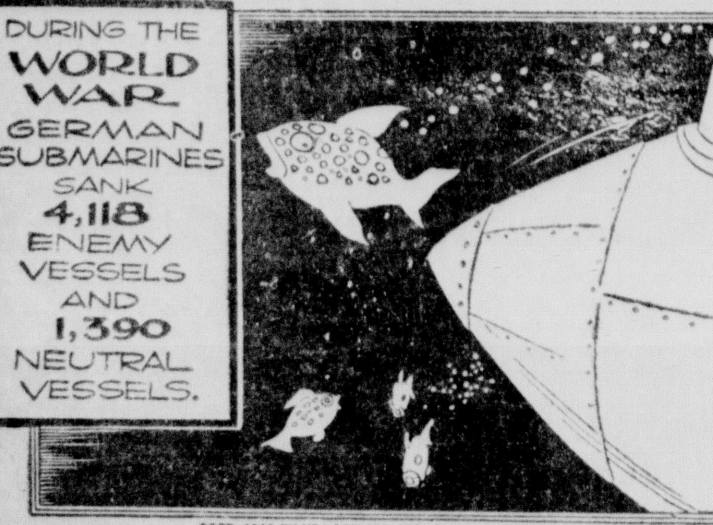
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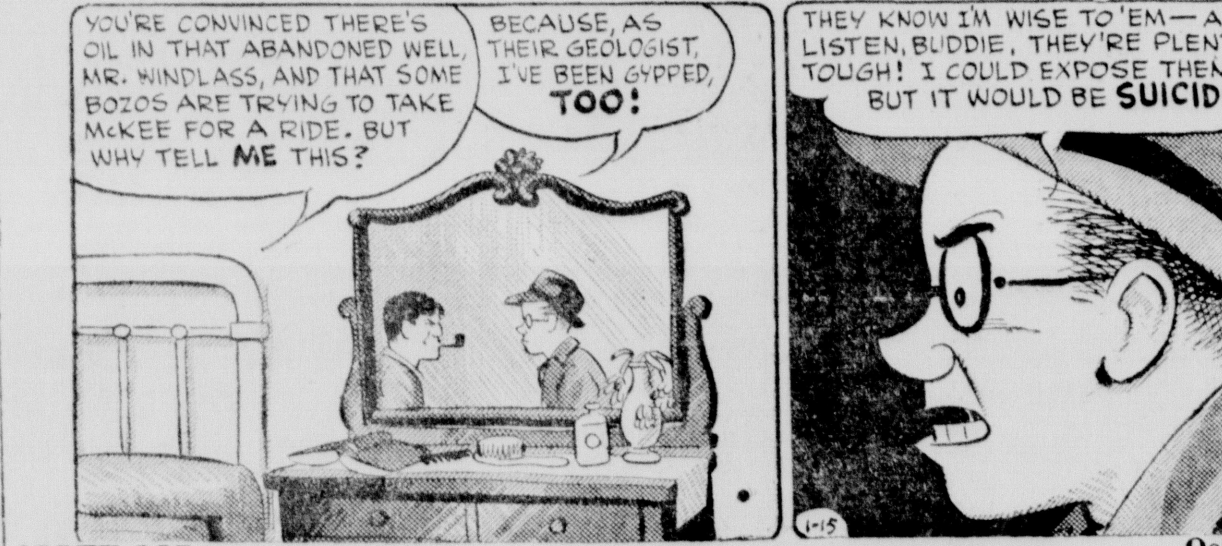
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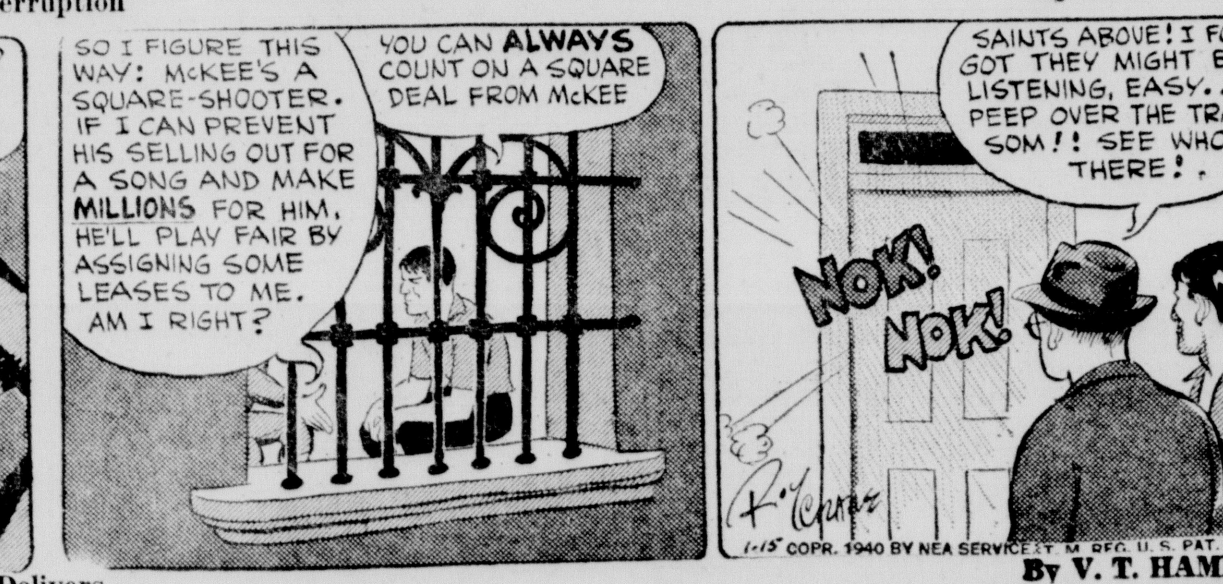
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6:15 Lum and Abner—WBEM
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6:30 Science on the March—WENR
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6:45 Helen Menken—WBEM
Dance Time—WCFL

7:00 Big Town—WBEM
Secret Agent—WGN

7:15 Aldrich Family—WLS
Johnny Presents—WMAQ

7:30 Court of Missing Heirs—WBEM
Horace Heidt's Orch.—WMAQ

8:00 Doctor I. Q.—WMAQ
Concert Miniature—WENR

8:15 Radio Theater—WBEM
Alec Templeton—WMAQ

8:30 Guy Lombardo's Orch.—WBEM
Lullaby Lady—WMAQ

8:45 Little Ol' Hollywood—WENR
Kay's Orch.—WMAQ

9:00 Blondie—WBEM
Pageant of Melody—WGN

9:15 Amos 'n' Andy—WBEM
Ten O'Clock Final—WENR

9:30 Fred Waring's Orch.—WMAQ
Todd Hunter—WBEM

9:45 Dick Barrie's Orch.—WGN
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10:00 Lou Breeze's Orch.—WMAQ
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10:15 Art Kassel's Orch.—WENR
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TUESDAY

12:00 The Goldbergs—WBEM
Jeno Bartal's Orch.—WCFL

12:15 Life Can Be Beautiful—WBEM
Ellen Randolph—WMAQ

12:30 Happy Gang—WGN
This Day is Ours—WBEM

12:45 Tony Wons—WMAQ
Road of Life—WBEM

1:00 Doc Barclay's Daughters—WBEM
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On Trial for Wife's Death



Pictured as his trial on charge of manslaughter began at Mays Landing, N. J., is 33-year-old Gaylord Donald Joy, accused of beating his wife to death in April, 1937. N. J. home. A medical examiner's report had said Mr. Joy died of a fall. They had been married a year.

Many persons suffering from persistent or too frequent nose bleeding have been relieved by injections of moccasin snake venom in tests.

Morton Gould's Orch.—WGN
Information Please—WLS

8:00 Concert Orch.—WGN
We, the People—WBEM

8:15 Battle of the Sexes—WMAQ
Cavalade of America—WENR

8:30 Literature—WENR
Concert in Rhythm—WBEM

8:45 Fibber McGee and Molly—WBEM
Roy Shield's Encore Music—WENR

9:00 Bob Hope—WMAQ
Glenn Miller's Orch.—WBEM

9:15 Uncle Walter's Doghouse—WMAQ
The Northerners—WGN

9:30 Todd Hunter—WBEM
Amos 'n' Andy—WBEM

9:45 Jack McLean's Orch.—WGN
Ten O'Clock Final—WENR

9:55 Pleasure Time—WMAQ
Jimmy Fidler—WBEM

10:15 Ted Weems' Orch.—WMAQ
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Prexy of Notre Dame Consecrated Bishop Sunday

(Picture on Page 1)

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 15—(AP)—Scores of members of the American hierarchy of the Roman Catholic church gathered on the campus of the University of Notre Dame today for the consecration of the Most Rev. John F. O'Hara, C. S. C., as titular bishop of Milasa.

Serving as head of Notre Dame since 1933, Bishop O'Hara relinquished the presidency with his consecration in colorful but profound ceremonies. He chose the Sacred Heart church on the campus for the rites.

The Rev. O'Hara's active episcopacy as bishop will be that of auxiliary bishop of the United States army and navy, with headquarters in New York.

Thirty-five ceremonial officers, clothed in rich vestments of state, archbishops, bishops, mitred abbots, monsignori, and priests thronged the church for the ceremonies.

From the Notre Dame main building a solemn procession of ceremonial officers and others wended its way across the campus to the church immediately prior to the consecration.

With Notre Dame 30 Years

The Most Rev. Francis J. Spellman, D. D., Archbishop of New York, was the consecrator and the co-consecrators were the Most Rev. John F. Noll, D. D., Bishop of Fort Wayne, and the Most Rev. Joseph E. Ritter, D. D., Bishop of Indianapolis.

The Moreau seminary choir chanted the music of the mass.

The consecration ended more than 30 years of active connection with Notre Dame for Bishop O'Hara. A native of Ann Arbor, Mich., he was graduated from Notre Dame in 1911 and was ordained five years later.

From 1918 to 1934 he was prefect of religion at the school. He also was the founder of the college of commerce and served as its dean for several years.

In 1933 he was named acting president during the last illness of the Most Rev. Charles L. O'Donnell, C. S. C. He succeeded Father O'Donnell as president after the latter's death in 1934. His present term would have expired at the end of this year.

The bishop's mother, Mrs. Ella C. O'Hara of Indianapolis, was one of those who attended the consecration today.

FEED THE BIRDS—

Plants grown in houses should be watered thoroughly, and then not watered again until the surface of the soil is somewhat dry.

Insulin, a diabetes remedy, has been found to be a good tonic and weight builder.

Former President of Willard Hospital Dies

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Mrs. Martha V. Higman, former president of the Frances E. Willard hospital and long a leader in Baptist affairs in Illinois.

Mrs. Higman, who was 88, died Saturday night after an illness of several weeks. Burial will be in St. Joseph, Mich., her former home.

She also was formerly president of the Protestant Women's Protective and the organizer of the Women's Baptist Mission of Illinois.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Undersecretary of Commerce for Trade Agreement

Washington, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Edward J. Noble, undersecretary of commerce, said today the reciprocal trade agreements program not only was justified in dollars and cents but had created a new avenue for the interchange of goods and services on which world peace and prosperity depended.

Noble submitted his views to the house ways and means committee as the third administration witness supporting legislation to extend the treaty-making authority which expires June 12.

He offered statistics which he said showed that United States trade with the 20 countries entering into reciprocal tariff arrangements had risen 60 per cent, while the exchange with non-agreement countries had increased only 30 per cent.

"While I do not contend that the increase in our exports to agreement countries is due entirely to this program," Noble's statement to the committee said, "certainly it is significant that, over a period of years, exports to these countries have invariably made a much more favorable showing than exports to other countries."

Recalling that former Secretary of Commerce Roper had endorsed the trade agreements program both in 1934 and 1937, Noble said:

"The department of commerce is still convinced that this program is beneficial not only to our foreign trade but to the economic activity of the entire country. xxx

"We know that our traders and manufacturers can not prosper unless our farmers, our miners, our livestock men and all other types of producers also prosper. We have no interest in promoting any one type of trade at the expense of any group of our producers."

—FEED THE BIRDS—

New Japanese Cabinet Formed by Premier Yonai

Tokyo, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Japan's new moderate premier, Admiral Mitsumasa Yonai, completed a cabinet today which it was said would continue Japan's present diplomatic policy toward the United States.

Admiral Yonai, a former Japanese fleet commander and former naval minister, chose as his Foreign Minister the veteran diplomat Hachiro Arita, who will succeed Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura.

Shunroku Hata and Vice Admiral Zengo Yoshida, who were war and navy ministers, respectively, in the outgoing cabinet of General Nobuyuki Abe, were retained in their old posts by the new premier.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

Night driving in the less settled portions of South Africa is dangerous because wild animals gather on the roads and become blinded by the car lights.

Originally, China, cultivated cotton as a purely decorative plant. It was used in the ceremonial drapings of Buddhist images.

Normal Schools' Enrollment Biggest in History

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Attendance at the state's five normal schools now is higher than ever before, John J. Hallahan, state director of registration and education said today.

Total registration last fall showed a ten per cent increase for the teachers' colleges over the previous year. The number of registrations for this term was 7,570 as compared with 6,749 for the 1938-39 term.

Individual attendance reports for the institutions showed increases at four, only Illinois State Normal University at Normal accepting fewer students than last year. The directors said the enrollment reduction to 1,930 from 1,974 a year ago was undertaken to avoid overcrowding at Normal and added that "several hundred" additional applications could not be accepted.

Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale had the greatest attendance this year with 2,044, an increase of 195 over last year's figure of 1,850. Eastern Illinois State Teachers College at Charleston reported an enrollment of 1,151 compared to 1,037 last year. The Western Illinois State Teachers College had 1,079 in attendance compared with 937, and the Northern Illinois State Teachers College had 1,165 students as against last year's 951.

Additional fire safety equipment for all five normal schools was contracted for today to accommodate the increasing student bodies.

The division of architecture and engineering announced that it had awarded a contract to furnish spiral slide fire escapes at the institutions to James A. Flynn, Chicago, at a cost of \$51,800.

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Lessen Danger of Giving too Much of Sulfapyridine

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Risk of overdosage of pneumonia patients with sulfapyridine, a new drug which has proven highly beneficial in treatment of the disease but is harmful when too much of it gets into the blood stream, will be lessened in the near future, State Health Director A. C. Baxter said today.

Dr. Baxter said the department's research laboratories have developed an efficient chemical test that makes possible maximum advantageous results while virtually eliminating risk of damage from the drug.

This test will be taught to technicians of local diagnostic laboratories throughout the state, the health director added, so that it will be readily available to physicians.

"A test of this kind ought to be made daily of every patient under treatment with sulfapyridine," Dr. Baxter said. "Only with the aid of such laboratory tests can the physician prescribe the best course of treatment with sulfapyridine."

Show Saturation Level

"A few drops of blood from a finger or an ear are sufficient for the test, which reveals the saturation level of sulfapyridine in the blood stream."

"Reports of these tests show whether larger doses of the drug are needed to produce the greatest benefits, or whether smaller doses should be given to avoid danger. Patients vary widely in their tolerance of the drug so that a standard dosage for all patients cannot be recommended."

Dr. Baxter said that teaching of the technique of the sulfapyridine blood tests would take two days in most instances.

The state health department distributes sulfapyridine free for the treatment of pneumonia patients provided laboratory tests are made to determine the type of pneumonia involved.

Dr. Baxter said at the present time about 400 new cases of pneumonia were being reported weekly in the state.

Two Special Trains Enroute West With Nazis

Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Two trains started for San Francisco last night with crew members of the scuttled German steamship Columbus immigration authorities and railroad police kept relatives and spectators away.

No comment was made by officials on their reasons for closing both the Erie railroad pier from which the trains left and an adjacent street.

At San Francisco the crew will embark for a transpacific trip to Germany.

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Bridges Says New Deal Agencies in Need of Scrutiny

Kansas City, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Sen. H. Styles Bridges (R-NH) "doesn't know of many new deal agencies that would be abolished under a Republican administration" or "of a single one that does not need and will not get a thorough going over."

The presidential possibility devoted much of a speech prepared for the National Republican Club of Kansas City to an attack on the Roosevelt administration's fiscal policies.

He found "little" in the president's recent budget message to congress "to indicate that, should President Roosevelt again be re-elected and the debt limit raised above its present mark, the budget would be balanced during his third term — or in a fourth term either, for that matter."

Explaining his attitude on retention but revision of new deal agencies, Bridges said:

"x x x An agency to back a man up in his alienable rights to join a union of his choosing will be a distinct advance for the workers of this country — when that agency is so organized that it will do just this, instead of being a vehicle for bureaucrats who x x x use their authority to advance one labor organization against another."

"The Securities Exchange Commission will certainly be continued—but as an agency to prevent illegitimate enterprise from operating at the expense of the uninformed — and not as it is operated today—x x x as a vehicle for the theories of a group of pseudo-intellectuals as to how business should be run. x x x

"The establishment of social security was a recognition of what had come to be a need. But you can rest assured that what the Republicans will do to it will be to make it a real social security and not, as it is now, an imposition on the employer and a part fraud upon the employee. x x

"The farmer approves of soil conservation and crop insurance. But he believes that x x x the costs of their administration are out of all proportion to the benefits received. x x x"

—FEED THE BIRDS—

The 140 hatcheries of the Kansas Hatcherymen's association are expected to hatch 27,000,000 chicks in 1940, officials of the organization reported recently at a convention here.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

lents provided laboratory tests are made to determine the type of pneumonia involved.

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Glenn Withdraws as Candidate for U. S. Senatorship

Chicago, Jan. 15.—(AP)—Withdrawal of Otis F. Glenn as a Republican candidate for United States Senator left C. Wayland Brooks as the only announced aspirant for the nomination today.

Glenn, who served as Senator from 1928 to 1932 and held senatorial nominations in 1932 and 1936, dropped out of the current race yesterday with a statement saying:

"The present political situation is such that I have concluded that an intense and costly Republican primary contest for the two-year Senate vacancy would not be justified from my personal standpoint."

He thanked his supporters but made no further comment.

Republicans speculated as to whether Brooks, a veteran campaigner from Chicago, would have opposition. Mentioned as possible senatorial candidates were Congressman Ralph E. Church of Evanston and two Chicagoans, Charles S. Dewey and Robert McCormick Adams.

Candidates' Comments

Statements praising Glenn were issued by several prominent Republicans.

Dwight H. Green of Chicago, a candidate for governor, expressed "sincere regret."

Richard J. Lyons of Libertyville, another in the GOP race for governor said:

"Whether he was motivated by his recognized anxiety for harmony in the Republican party or by disloyalty closely affecting him, Senator Glenn's voluntary elimination has greatly weakened, if not disrupted our opposition forces."

Brooks said:

"The step taken by former Senator Glenn will help to bring about a harmonious primary campaign. It undoubtedly was prompted by patriotic motives."

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Murphy Approved by Senate Committeemen

Washington, Jan. 15.—(AP)—The senate judiciary committee approved today the nomination of Attorney General Frank Murphy to be a member of the Supreme court.

Murphy would succeed the late Associate Justice Pierce Butler on the high court.

Members of the judiciary committee reported there was no dissent on the vote approving the appointment. Murphy, 46, appeared before the committee, but was not questioned. It was reported that members merely wished to congratulate him on his appointment.

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\$150,000 FIRE IN DECATUR

Decatur, Ill.—(AP)—The three-story building housing the Flint-Eaton Drug Manufacturing Company was destroyed by fire yesterday. President George Flint, who said manufacturing would be resumed in new quarters in about 60 days, estimated damage at \$150,000. Fire Chief Will Platt said the blaze started in a research laboratory and spread among stored chemicals, which exploded. The loss was covered by insurance.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

A jungle-born tiger, or lion, if caught young, is easier to train than one bred in captivity.

POLITICS

AP Reports Gossip Among Politicians in Washington

Washington, Jan. 15.—(AP)—The odds are strong that congress will open up the whole reapportionment question rather than take the easy way out by making a few simple changes in the law which automatically would divide up the house seats to conform to the figures of the 1940 census.

This is election year. Quite a few states stand to lose house seats under new apportionment. It would not help the position of house members from those seats if they went back home without making a fight to block this threatened loss of representation.

Up until 1930, congress had solved this problem by simply bringing a few more chairs on the house floor and enlarging its membership. The 1940 reapportionment was the first that had been since 1840. Arizona and New Mexico came in after the 1910 reapportionment, each was given a member, and congress shut its eyes to the constitutional mandate to divide up the seats after the 1920 census.

By 1930, however, the house had gotten so large that it was hard to handle. So the legal maximum of 345 was written into the reapportionment act in spite of efforts to enlarge that number. The same pressure seems likely to arise again. That is one way to get reapportionment and keep states from losing seats.

Whatever is done will not affect the electoral votes of the states in this election. The census bureau cannot finish its count in time to submit the figures. Moreover, the legal time limit for the submission of those figures as a stop toward automatic division of the seats has expired.

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Pennsy Trooper is Acquitted of Murder of Child

Mauch Chunk, Pa., Jan. 15.—(AP)—Corporal Benjamin Franklin found vindication today for the fatal shots he fired into the body of 14-year-old Joan Stevens in his accidental on murder and manslaughter charges resulting from her death.

The handsome 30-year-old suspended state trooper beamed and said he felt "good" when a jury of nine men and three women announced its verdict late yesterday.

From Mrs. Mayme Stevens, mother of the slain girl, came the comment, "I lost heavily. The commonwealth can now go out and kill other children."

Franklin's future remained uncertain. Suspended since the shooting occurred, he still must face a charge of involuntary manslaughter.

District Attorney Albert Heimbach said it was "too early" to determine whether the charge would be pressed.

Franklin's superior officer, Major William A. Clark, announced he would be reassigned to duty as soon as "the charges against him are terminated."

Pleading self-defense, Franklin said he shot the girl because she suddenly drew what appeared to be a gun and threatened to "blow your brains out" as he and Private Edward Swatki questioned her about a bank robbery plot.

—FEED THE BIRDS—

So prone are book borrowers of London libraries to using strips of bacon as bookmarks, that 1500 books annually are withdrawn from library shelves because they have become hopelessly greasy.

MUST BEAT "VOTE STEALER"

St. Charles, Ill.—(AP)—Officially opening his campaign in Kane county, Dwight H. Green, Republican candidate for governor said at a rally Saturday night that if the GOP would win in November it must defeat the "vote stealer" in the primaries in April.

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